WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains low over this Province, and unsettled weather continues on the Pacific Slope. Rain is reported in Alberta and Manitoba.

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$5,000 Payment to Mr. Gauthier Made From Party Funds

Mr. W. T. McArthur Admits Liberals Prevented Exposure of Suit Against Mr. James Paterson, Before 1924 Election — Mr. Justice Morrison Defers Decision Whether Commission Will Visit Scotland

Hon. Dr. Sutherland Denies Allegations; Probe in Victoria Comes to Conclusion

THAT he had paid the sum of $5,000 out of the general campaign funds of the Liberal Party to John A. Gauthier to prevent him from using his defamation of character suit against Government Purchasing Agent James Paterson as a means of getting before the public numerous statements he had written out just before the Oliver Government went to the country in the 1924 election, was the admission made by Mr. W. T. McArthur, hardware merchant, and staunch Liberal of Vancouver, at the closing session of Mr. Justic Morrison's Royal Commission here yesterday. The sittings of the probe into the allegations made by Mr. Gauthier against members of the Government in his affidavit, are ended, unless the commissioner, Mr. Justice Morrison, decides to proceed to the Old Country to secure evidence there. His Lordship has deferred decision on that point until he has received written statements from Mr. George H. Cowan, K.C., and Mr. J. W. de B. Farris, K.C., counsel for the Conservatives and the Government respectively, on their opinion of the necessity of the tribunal obtaining evidence in Scotland.

His Lordship said he felt that the real gravamen of Mr. Twigg's charges was that the liquor agents in British Columbia who have received from the distilleries their commissions, exist in some way because the Government of this Province desires that they be the principal men whom the distilleries indicate as agents so that these commissions will be split up and parts given to campaign funds of the Liberal Party. This, he understood, was the most serious implication, that the maintaining of agents was encouraged by the Government to supplement campaign funds.

THE SERIOUS CHARGE

"I think the important point is the existence of these agents and the charge that was made that the Government of British Columbia was responsible for that ingenious, new, unheard-of method of supplementing campaign funds. That is the serious charge against the Government and its administration of its liquor side," declared the Commissioner.

Mr. Justice Morrison stated that the question for him to determine was whether there was anything of that kind, and if he could secure anything satisfactory in helping him to determine that point by proceeding to take the evidence of distilleries in the Old Country.

"It seems to me that the bite of Mr. Twigg's complaint is all on account of these agents, and it was a new and ingenious method invented by some enterprising Liberal to maintain these agents to get commissions from the distilleries to divide up and add to the campaign funds," said His Lordship. "It may be that the Liberals are flattered and complimented by having such ingenuity attributed to them, but they certainly are denying it, and putting in evidence to show that the Government is doing everything to prevent it."

PROBE THOROUGHLY

The Commissioner was inclined to the view that while Mr. Twigg, a responsible member of the Legislature, retained his stand, "to which no doubt a large section of the public will respond," it might be wisest to secure evidence in Scotland, and then, if there was nothing in the allegations, a quietus for all time would be put upon them. Such inquiry could be of a small and informal nature, he thought.

His Lordship observed that it was not simply a question whether Hon. Dr. Sutherland or Hon. Mr. Buckham were guilty of improper conduct, but also whether the party was financed on commissions which it was alleged liquor agents shared with the Government. He asked Mr. Twigg whether the evidence which had been brought out on this point at the various probes held had satisfied him that there was nothing in such suspicions.

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COURT RELEASES B.C. RUM CRAFT

Federalship at Last Free to Sail Out of San Francisco —Officials Forbidden to Interfere

CAPTAIN MAKING HASTE TO DEPART

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—The Federal District Court here late today ordered Customs and Coast Guard officials to release the Federalship and her $1,000,000 liquor cargo, seized last March, 270 miles off the California coast. The court order forbade officials to oppose the vessel's departure.

The order rent the red tape which has held the liquor-carrier here for the past few days, since the United States Attorney-General at Washington decided that ground for holding the steamer was lacking. Plans had been laid for releasing the steamer yesterday, but a new order from the Treasury Department at Washington directed Customs officials to hold the ship pending further negotiations with Panama.

The steamer tonight lay in San Francisco harbor with steam up, ready to depart as soon as the court's release orders could be served on the proper officials. Captain S. S. Stone, who has experienced a multitude of legal entanglements since United States Coast Guard cutters halted him on the high seas by firing shots at his ship, announced that he would get back to sea without giving landsmen unnecessary chances to trouble him again.

GAS WAR ENDS; PRICES GO UP

PEACE FORECAST IN CALIFORNIA DISPUTE OF PAST TWO MONTHS

Five Companies Announce Reversion to Old Charge of Eighteen and a Half Cents a Gallon

LOS ANGELES, May 3.—The end of Southern California's gasoline war, which has raged for the last two months, slashing the Los Angeles price to twelve and a half cents a gallon, was presaged today when five companies announced their return to the "pre-war" price of eighteen and a half cents.

Companies announcing they would sell their gasoline at eighteen and a half cents were the California Petroleum, Richfield Oil, General Petroleum, Gilmore and Shell.

Union Oil Company officials announced they would follow suit as soon as they "verified the new price." Standard, Associated, Pan-American and Julian officers promised to make statements tomorrow.

Liberals Name Major Moodie New Organizer

VANCOUVER, May 3.—Major S. F. M. Moodie, of Vancouver, who has held responsible positions in Liberal party campaign organizations during several of the recent elections, has been appointed organizer of the party for British Columbia, it was learned on reliable authority. His office will be in Victoria. Major Moodie is a high school teacher by profession and an officer in the Irish Fusiliers Battalion.

This is the first appointment made under the new reorganization of the British Columbia Liberal Association, decided upon at the recent convention in Vancouver. Others will follow in due course. There will be a meeting of the B.C. Liberal Executive in the near future to ratify decisions of the organization committee, it is announced.

EXPERTS MEET TO PUT EUROPE BACK ON FEET

Creation of International Organization to Study Commerce Recommended to Geneva Conference

ALL WORLD JOINS IN TRADE PARLEY

Body With Right to Draft Treaties and Arbitrate Disputes in Commercial Field Is Advocated

GENEVA, May 3.—Creation of a permanent organization to study and attempt to adjust international trade is recommended by the International Chamber of Commerce in a special report submitted to the International Economic Conference which opens here tomorrow. All countries of the world, except Spain and Liberia, will take part in the effort to study means of putting Europe and the world generally on its feet economically.

Trade barriers are believed in some quarters to increase the difficulties of economic reconstruction in Europe.

CONTROL BOARD URGED

The International Chamber of Commerce recommends the creation, under the auspices of the League of Nations, of an organization in which the Government representatives would have an opportunity of meeting regularly to study, in a permanent manner, the conditions and needs of international trade, with the understanding that they would have the right to draft treaties and arbitrate disputes in the field of international commerce.

The Chamber expresses the opinion that some of the fundamental difficulties encountered by trade and industry lie in the continued instability of important currencies, and hopes that stabilization will take place as soon as possible in all countries.

DUTIES THOUGHT TOO HIGH

On the particular subject of trade barriers the Chamber considers that the system of excessive customs tariffs can only be detrimental to world restoration.

The Chamber recommends the prompt conclusion of a general convention for the abolition of import and export prohibitions and restrictions on the basis of the preliminary draft already prepared by the League's economic committee and recommends a policy by which free movement of raw material may be assured throughout the world.

REQUEST IS MADE TO CLOSE GARDEN

Saanich Board of Trade Wants Mr. Butchart to Shut Gates Until Road Is Made Passable

ACTION IS TAKEN ON DELEGATES' REPORT

The Saanich Board of Trade, in view of the state of the Limekiln Road, which is the avenue of access to the gardens of Mr. and Mrs. Butchart, has passed a resolution asking Mr. Butchart to close his gardens to the public until the road is put in passable condition. This action was taken unanimously by the Board.

The resolution states "that as long at the Limekiln Road is in its present condition that Mr. Butchart be asked to close his gardens and that copies of this resolution be sent to Premier Oliver, Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers, president of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce; the Automobile Club, Mr. R. H. B. Ker, president of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, and the Reeve of Saanich."

This action was taken following the report from the representatives of the Board that had formed part of the delegation which waited upon the Premier and Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, relative to this road a few days ago.

In addition to this question, which has been the subject of so much attention in the past few days, there were also some other matters disposed of affecting the public interest in the district.

The transportation committee of the board reported that the matter of the bus service to the Brentwood ferry and Mount Newton had been adjusted.

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Wheat Pool Conference Opens at Kansas City

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 3.—Three hundred delegates from Canada, Argentina, Russia, India and the United States are here tonight, prepared for the formal opening of the second International Wheat Pool Conference, Thursday. Preliminary meetings were held today with Canadian delegates from Western Canada wheat pools taking a prominent part in the deliberations.

Famous Composer Dies In California Theatre

SANTA ANA, Cala., May 3.—Ernest R. Ball, famous composer, died in his dressing-rooms in a theatre here tonight from a heart attack just after he had completed his evening appearance on a vaudeville programme.

Two U.S. Officers Plunge to Death In Burning Plane

NORFOLK, Va., May 3.—Two naval officers were killed today when a plane from the Hampton Roads Naval Air Station burst into flames 500 feet in the air and fell to the ground near the municipal grain elevator.

The dead are Lieutenant R. V. Pollard, formerly of New Jersey but for the last twelve months on duty here, and Lieutenant-Commander Hardy B. Page, of the Judge Advocate-General's office at Washington.

LAST RITES HELD FOR OIL MAGNATE

Viscount Cowdray Buried on Day He Was to Receive the Freedom of City of Aberdeen

COULD HAVE BEEN KING OF ALBANIA

VISCOUNT COWDRAY

ECHT, Aberdeenshire, May 3.—Viscount Cowdray, oil and industrial magnate of Great Britain, who has been characterized as the world's greatest contractor and the man who by repute might have been King of Albania, had he accepted an offer of that romantic throne, was buried here today.

The service was held at the hour originaly set for the granting to him and Viscountess Cowdray of the signal honor of the freedom of the city of Aberdeen. The Viscount, who died at the age of seventy-one on Sunday, had prepared a speech for today, in which he paid the highest tribute to his wife. Instead of listening happily to this tribute she joined in the sad procession to the churchyard behind her husband's body.

In the Viscount's speech, which was made public today, he said: "Of the influences which shape one's life, nothing comes into the same category with the great crowning influence which man possesses in that perfect partner—a well-mated wife."

Viscount Cowdray wrote that the inexorable law of success was character.

The Viscountess, in the address which she had planned to make today, also paid touching homage to her partnership with her husband and the freedom he accorded her in working out her own life.

Pound Reaches Highest Price Of This Year

NEW YORK, May 3.—Buying of large blocks of sterling exchange today resulted in the highest price of the year for demand sterling, which was marked up to $4.85 9-16, a gain of 3-16 over yesterday's close. This followed the expiration of $200,000,000 credit to the Bank of England at the New York Federal Reserve Bank and $100,000,000 credit to the British Treasury at J. P. Morgan & Company. Neither of the credits was used, and the British Chancellor in his budget speech had previously announced they would not be renewed.

Insurance for Everyone To Be Liberal Policy, Vancouver Member Says

VANCOUVER, May 3.—Prediction that within a short time the outstanding policy of the Liberal party of Canada would be a scheme of universal public insurance, covering not only old age pensions, but also maternity benefits, invalidism, accidents and unemployment, was made by Captain I. A. Mackenzie, member of the British Columbia Legislature, in addressing the Vancouver South Liberal Association tonight.

The foundation for such a policy had been laid by Sir Richard Cartwright many years ago with his annuity scheme, he said. The leaders of Liberalism in Canada had since developed the idea until the logical outcome must be a universal insurance scheme.

Capsized Boat Hints At Vancouver Tragedy

VANCOUVER, May 3.—Discovery of an overturned rowboat, floating in Coal Harbor, today, led the police to investigate the possibility of a tragedy having occurred in Burrard Inlet.

TRADES UNION BILL DEBATE CALMS DOWN

Opposition Members Severe But Not Violent in Heckling of Government Speakers—Crisis Coming

LABORITES AWAIT PREMIER BALDWIN

Fire Reserved Until Prime Minister Speaks to New Legislation — Leader in Poor Health

LONDON, May 3.—Debate in the House of Commons on the Government's Trades Union Bill was calmer today. Heckling of Government speakers by the Opposition continued, but it lacked the violence of the outburst which occurred yesterday when Sir Douglas Hogg, Attorney-General, moved for the second reading of the measure, which aims to prevent general strikes and coercive measures by labor unions.

The Laborites of the opposition are credited with reserving their fire for Premier Baldwin, who is to speak tomorrow. Since the Prime Minister's health is not robust, his supporters show some anxiety over the ordeal before him. The Laborites also are expected to pay their respects emphatically to Sir John Simon, former Attorney-General, who incurred their anger last year by contending that general strikes were illegal.

CRISIS YET TO COME

The hardest struggle is expected when the bill reaches the committee stage and is studied clause by clause.

Today's principal speakers on the Government side were Sir Laming Worthington-Evans, War Secretary, and Sir Robert Horne. Arthur Henderson and Stephen Walsh led the assault for the opposition. The War Secretary made a fighting speech in defence of the bill and was under a constant fire of interruptions.

The noisest period came when Sir Laming referred to yesterday's speech in defence of the bill by George Spencer, expelled Laborite. Every sentence of the passage was punctuated with jeers from the Laborite benches.

BILL ATTACKED

Arthur Henderson attacked the bill as vindictive and punitive. Like other Labor leaders, he accused the Government of drawing from the United States the inspiration for the bill.

The irrepressible "Jack" Jones, Laborite from Westham, was a prominent member in the heckling today as he was yesterday, when his activities caused the Speaker to order him to retire. After numerous outbursts today he drew a reproof from the Speaker. Thereupon he explained, "Well, I am very sorry, I won't do it any more." With that he disdainfully walked out of the House.

PATROL SEIZES ALCOHOL SHIP

BRITISH CRAFT CAPTURED WHEN ENTERING HARBOR AT NEW YORK

Captain and Crew Held—Cargo Worth Million Aboard—Seizure Makes Record for Port

NEW YORK, May 3.—The captain and fifteen members of the crew of the British steam trawler Gabriella, whose cargo of alcohol, valued at $1,200,000 was seized as it was entering the port of New York today, were held for further questioning by Federal authorities in Brooklyn.

The vessel was captured at Staten Island by a Coast Guard patrol. It attracted suspicion when it failed to make the customary stop for inspection by health authorities at quarantine. Captain Charles H. Mood, of the Gabriella, and members of the crew were questioned aboard the vessel by Alexander Pisciotta, assistant United States attorney. The trawler was held under guard near the Statue of Liberty and the men were taken to Brooklyn.

The Gabriella was shown by its papers to have cleared Saint John, N.B., for Nassau. The alcohol, stored in 2,000 drums, was said to be the largest seizure of its kind ever made in this port.

Mr. Prisciotta reported that Captain Mood and Fred Collett, supercargo on the trawler, admitted that they were arrested last year in connection with the seizure of the steamer Blairmore, when 1,200 cases of whisky were confiscated. The records showed that Captain Mood still is under bond in the Blairmore case.

Bad Fire Threatens New Brunswick City

MONCTON, N.B., May 4.—A bad fire broke out about 1 o'clock this morning in the Victoria block in a drug store of Smallwood & Stears, and was still burning at a late hour.

Toronto Will Support Dr. Clay for Moderator

TORONTO, May 3.—Toronto Presbytery tonight decided that its representatives to the Presbyterian General Assembly at Stratford on June 1 should support Dr. Leslie Clay, of Victoria, for the Moderatorship. The decision of the Presbytery was unanimous.

Flood Waters Rise Above Chimney Tops Of Louisiana Towns

Rivers Roar Through New Breaks in Southern State—Scores of Small Communities Deserted by Inhabitants—Aviators Find Only Few Roofs Above Surface—Huge Area Flooded

Waters Now Invading Higher Parishes Never Before Known to Be Inundated

NEW ORLEANS, May 3.—An ever-widening lake of muddy water, roaring through two new crevasses in Mississippi River levees at Cabine Teele, six miles northeast of Tallulah, La., and at Milliken's Bend, twenty-five miles above Vicksburg, tonight was inundating extreme northeastern Louisiana. Tallulah, Delhi, Rayville and scores of smaller communities were being evacuated by inhabitants as the waters widened their devastating sweep. Electric power lines serving Vicksburg and Jackson, Miss., were threatened as the flood moved southward along the Tensas River basin to join those of the Ouachita and the Black and empty into the Red River valley.

TOWNS UNDER WATER

Harrisonburg, parish seat of Catahoula, already is under many feet of water, according to photographs taken to Baton Rouge by naval aviators who daily are winging their way over the flooded territory to search out marooned and direct their rescue. In the picture only a few housetops in Harrisonburg were visible.

Jonesville, a great hardwood lumber milling centre to the southeastward from Harrisonburg, has all but disappeared, other pictures showed. Only the top layers of huge lumber piles could be seen, giving what was the town the appearance of a tented city.

Still another photograph showed the complete inundation of all the territory in and around where the Red River empties into the Mississippi. This is regarded as one of the major danger points in the flood area, as it is here the water from the upstate funnel will go back into the parent stream.

REFUGEES ON HILLS

Far to the north, in Morehouse parish, Merrouge, never before flooded in the memory of white men, was slowly succumbing to the flood coming down from the Arkansas River. In the highlands around Bastrop, hundreds of refugees were quartered on hills, without tents, thankful that the clear weather was lessening their hardships.

Water still was moving into West Monroe, forcing several hundred families from their homes, but the situation in the twin city of Monroe was reported as improved with the levees being strengthened and raised against the coming flood crest with its record height of water.

ARMIES BATTLE FLOODS

Along the Mississippi south of Natchez, and on the Red River below Alexandria, small armies of men still were battling to prevent threatened breaks in the levees. These were reported as still holding all along the line in those territories.

Although engineers have pronounced New Orleans safe, there was no relaxation of vigilance here. Levees along the river front were being raised and strengthened against the coming of the flood crest and embankments where the city faces Lake Pontchartrain were being strengthened and raised to keep out back-water from the lake should there be a break in the main levee to the north of the city.

PRECAUTIONS CONTINUED

State engineers continued the blasting operations at the Caernarvon levee, deliberately smashed in the effort to save New Orleans, sending a diver down into the swirling waters to plant dynamite for the blowing up of the batture in front of the break which was preventing the full force of the river from getting into the opening.

While these preparations went forward, the Louisiana-New Orleans commission named to fix reparations for the thousands who have exiled themselves from St. Barnard and Plaquemines parishes in the interest of greater numbers of New Orleans, held an organization meeting and officially promised full compensation for the damaged homes and other property.

TYPHOID BREAKS OUT

MEMPHIS, Tenn., May 3.—Two flood refugees are reported dying of typhoid fever and thirty-six others are reported ill from the disease, Dr. W. R. Redden, national medical officer of the Red Cross, announced here today.

To Represent Employers At Conference in Geneva

MR. W. C. COULTER

Of Toronto, representing employers of Canada, who will attend the International Labor Conference opening at Geneva May 25.

PRAIRIE FLOOD CRISIS PASSING

Little Change Reported in Districts Overrun by Manitoba Streams — Little Further Inundation Feared

HOMES VACATED IN BRANDON AREA

WINNIPEG, May 3.—With hundreds of acres of agricultural lands inundated and scores of homes along the "Flats" abandoned, Brandon residents tonight were hopeful that the flood crisis had been passed. There was very little change in the height of the Assinaboine River during the afternoon and evening, and unless there is an unexpected rapid rise during the night further inundation is not feared. The river showed no appreciable rise at Virden, Man., during the day, while other flooded areas reported very little change. In Brandon temporary dykes were erected to protect roads leading into the city.

Tonight the homeless were being cared for in the immigration hall, and officials of the city who have worked during the past two days in aiding the sufferers, reported all homes vacated in the flood area. Some 400 houses are within the area.

A dyke built near the experimental farm proved ineffective and the water is a foot deep on the low parts of the road near the farm. On low parts of the Eighteenth Street grade, one of the northern approaches to the city, the water has crossed the grade, but if there is no rise in the river this road will remain open.

Housewives Promised Fruit at Low Prices By Control Board Czar

WINNIPEG, May 3.—Prairie housewives will pay no more for their fruit this year than in other seasons, declared F. M. Black, former provincial treasurer, and now chairman of the board of control which will fix minimum prices for all Okanagan fruits and vegetables and issue licences to shippers. Mr. Black, who returned from the Coast today, said the scientific method of selling under the British Columbia Board should benefit the consumers.

Byrd Atlantic Flight Is Reported Postponed

PARIS, May 3.—Belief that the projected New York-Paris nonstop flight of Commander Richard Byrd and Floyd Bennett has been postponed indefinitely was expressed here today following upon the announcement that Dr. Herbert A. Gibbons, representative of the American Transoceanic Company, sponsors of the flight, would sail for New York tomorrow. Dr. Gibbons declined to confirm the report of the indefinite postponement.

Rioter Killed During Native Clash in India

SURAT, British India, May 3.—Mohammedans today stoned a Hindu procession commemorating the third tercentenary of the birth of the Mahratta leader, Sivaji, liberator of the Maharastra, a district in India, which is being celebrated throughout the country all the week. The police intervened and fired upon the rioters, killing one and wounding two.

At Boroda the stoning of a procession resulted in a general fight in which ten were injured. In Bombay the procession was abandoned because the police objected to the participation of elephants in the parade and the carrying of loaded bamboo sticks by the paraders.

Canadian Plane Added To Washington Display

WASHINGTON, May 3.—Canada's contribution to the all-American aircraft display was added to the exhibition this afternoon when Flight-Lieut. A. A. Leitch, of the Canadian Air Force, arrived in one of the Fokker planes constructed for the Hudson Straits patrol. Leitch arrived just four hours after leaving Hasbrook Heights, N.J.

From the Colonist Tower.

Wednesday, May 4

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THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity — Fresh to strong south and west winds; partly cloudy, and mild with showers.

Sun Rises: 4:50 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 7:29 o'clock.

High Tide: 3:08 a.m., 8.9 feet.
Low Tide: 11:26 a.m., 0.8 feet.

Sport

Nanaimo soccer team beats All-Canada eleven 4 to 1.
Reece makes break of 3,569 unfinished.
Bert Irish wins from Sid Boys, 700 (receives 200) to 491.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Payment of $5,000 to Mr. Gauthier was made from party funds, according to testimony before Royal Commission.
Saanich Board of Trade wants Mr. Butchart to close gates to gardens until road is made passable.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Flood danger lessens in Prairie district.
Trades union bill debate calms down in British Commons.
Economic experts meeting at Geneva today to study world problems.
San Francisco court orders release of Federalship.
Louisiana floods cover towns to housetops.

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and that by arrangement with C. & C., it had been arranged that there should be a suitable system installed and that the schedule and the rates was satisfactory to the committee.

A resolution relative to fox farming in the Saanich peninsula was referred to the council of the Board for action. The same course was adopted with respect to a resolution asking that an effort to have the Sheep Farming Act enforced, looking to the protection of sheep from the depredations of dogs.

It was announced that the beach drive from Verdier Avenue to the Limekiln Road was now practically assured of construction. The property owners, it was reported, had given the right of way desired, and this had been accepted by the Saanich Council. The benefit of this road when constructed was pointed out. It will afford a loop line along the beach so that visitors will not have to retrace their course as at present when they wish to visit the gardens of Mr. Butchart and also Brentwood.

Three new members were received at the meeting.

Canadian Labor Body Protests U.S. Ruling

OTTAWA, May 3.—The executive of the Canadian Trades and Labor Congress is concerned over the question of the new United States border regulations, and will make representations to the proper authorities, Tom Moore, president, said today.

FARMER FOUND DEAD

MOOSE JAW, Sask., May 3.—Robert Anderson, forty years old, a farmer in the Mossbank district, was found dead this morning on the edge of a slough situated on the farm of a neighbor. The body was discovered with the lower limbs in the water, its appearance suggesting the deceased had struggled to get clear of the slough.

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FLAMES BAFFLE RESCUE CREWS

FATE OF SEVENTY MINERS IN VIRGINIA WORKINGS STILL UNCERTAIN

Section of Mine Sealed to Permit Safer Penetration Into Other Tunnels—More Bodies Found

FAIRMONT, W. Va., May 3.—Fearing a second explosion in the Everettsville mine, where twenty-four men are known to have been killed and seventy others entombed three days ago, rescue leaders tonight decided to seal a section of the workings, where a fire is raging, so that other parts of the mine can be explored.

After an inspection of the mine during the day, when rescuers located seven additional bodies, Robert Lambie, chief of the West Virginia Department of Mines, announced that the southwest section of the workings, where the fire is burning, would be sealed immediately with brick brattices. This will give the rescue workers an opportunity to enter the northeast sections, where, Lambie said, some of the fourteen miners known to have been laboring there, might have escaped the blast.

While Lambie held out this slender thread of hope, others felt that the seventy missing men are dead, either killed in the explosion or by gas.

War Memorial to Be Unveiled at Niagara

The Niagara Falls war memorial, which is to be unveiled by Brig.-Gen. F. W. Hill, of Kingston, on May 22. The monument cost $10,000 and was designed and executed by Couer de Leon McCarthy, of Ottawa. The site chosen is a most attractive one near the main entrance of Queen Victoria Park. A granite shaft surmounting the stone foundation bears the names of those who died for their country. The bronze figure is 8 ft. 6 in. in height and represents a typical Canadian soldier.

$5,000 PAYMENT TO MR. GAUTHIER MADE FROM PARTY FUNDS

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"I am far from convinced," replied Mr. Twigg, "and I think I am entitled to have Your Lordship go over to Scotland and take evidence from these distilleries, with the least possible expense to the people of British Columbia."

SEEKS THEIR VIEWS

The Commissioner stated that he wished counsel to express their views on the advisability of such an expedition. He inquired if it would not be possible to have the evidence taken over there by a third party, instead of the Commission going to Scotland.

Mr. Twigg said he could not see how "we can clean up this business unless Your Lordship goes over there and takes evidence. I think that the inquiry could be of an informal nature, without the necessity of the appointment of a Royal Commission there. The production of evidence abroad is necessary, I submit, and I don't see how we can get it unless the Commission goes to the Old Country."

Mr. Farris and Mr. Pattullo, Government counsel, argued that the charge had been completely answered by Sir James Calder, the British distiller, who testified at the inquiry into campaign funds held recently, and by the evidence of the agents here and the Government and other records.

SAYS UNNECESSARY

"I feel that it is quite unnecessary for the Commission to go to the Old Country. My suggestion would be that in the event of Your Lordship finding that the evidence that had been presented here is insufficient upon which to make a complete report, that you go to Scotland and obtain further evidence. Otherwise, there is no need for a 'wandering commission,'" said Mr. Farris.

Mr. Pattullo stated that Mr. Buckham had been cleared by Mr. Gauthier of any wrongdoing, and that the only matter left for the Commissioner to decide was whether Dr. Sutherland should be exonerated.

His Lordship pointed out that in the commission given him he was commissioned to inquire into, not only charges made against Dr. Sutherland and Mr. Buckham, but also whether the public business of the Province had been improperly transacted.

His Lordship asked counsel to place in writing their views whether the Commission should go overseas to obtain further evidence.

DABBLED IN POLITICS

Mr. W. T. McArthur, hardware merchant of Vancouver, was put on the witness stand by Mr. Twigg. He was asked if he "dabbled in politics," and said he did.

"What party do you belong to?"

"I am a Liberal."

Mr. Twigg: "A staunch Liberal?"

Mr. Justice Morrison: "I am surprised, Mr. Twigg, that you don't know."

Mr. Twigg: "I have had the pleasure, My Lord, of examining Mr. McArthur before."

Counsel: "Were you, Mr. McArthur, "mixed up in the absentee vote business?"

Mr. McArthur indignantly replied that he was not.

Mr. Farris objected to such a question, stating that it had no relevancy whatever to the inquiry.

Mr. McArthur said that it was not a nice question to have published in the press.

HE PAID $5,000

Counsel asked Mr. McArthur if he had ever paid $5,000 to Mr. Gauthier, and witness admitted that he had.

Mr. McArthur: "I gave Gauthier that $5,000 simply because I felt that he was going to use this suit against Paterson as a means of getting before the public in this Province numerous statements he had written out just before we were going to hold a Provincial election."

Mr. Twigg: Then you felt as a good Liberal it was your duty to pay him $5,000 to prevent such information from getting before the public?"

"I thought it was good political business."

"Even if that information was true?"

"I didn't think it was true."

"Then you were a judge as to whether the information was true or not?"

"I was using my own judgment."

Mr. Twigg: "Who told you to make this settlement?"

"No one."

APPROACHES GAUTHIER

Mr. McArthur said he had heard that Mr. Gauthier was going to start a suit against Mr. Paterson for slander in connection with statements Paterson had made in the Old Country. He got in touch with Gauthier; got him to come up to his office and tell his story.

"Who told you about this case?"

"I think it was Mr. Paterson."

"Where did the conversation take place?"

"It was in Victoria, but whether it was at the hotel, on the street or in the Parliament Buildings, I do not remember."

Counsel inquired if Mr. Paterson had given McArthur the money to pay Gauthier.

"No, he didn't give me the money."

"Did you discuss the case with Dr. Sutherland or Mr. Buckham?"

"I did not. I discussed it with several party workers in Vancouver. I got in touch with Gauthier before I took up the matter with any of the party workers in Vancouver."

FRO MCAMPAIGN FUNDS

Mr. Twigg: "Where did you get the $5,000 from?"

"Out of the general Liberal campaign funds."

"Did you have control of the funds?"

"No. I have made contributions to the funds, and also have disbursed money on behalf of the party."

"Did you have some of the money?"

"Yes."

"Where did the balance come from?"

"I got it from the treasury. Mr. Brenton Brown was the acting treasurer."

"Was Gauthier paid by cheque?"

"No, he was paid in cash."

"It was a common occurrence for you to draw $5,000 out of the Liberal campaign fund?"

"I never said that."

Counsel: "Did you discuss with Brenton Brown the necessity of making this payment to Gauthier?"

"No, not the necessity of it, but the advisability of doing so."

A MEAN STORY

Mr. Twigg: "The party was very much afraid of this story, wasn't it?"

"It was a mean story, as has been demonstrated here and on the floor of the Legislature."

"It might have helped the election of 1924 if the story had got out?"

"It might, if it had got out."

Mr. Twigg asked witness why he had got Gauthier to sign a declaration when the latter was given the money.

"Just because I didn't have confidence in the man. I thought he would settle up at once and then come back and blackmail us again," replied Mr. McArthur.

Mr. Twigg reminded witness that Gauthier had not gone to him first, but that Gauthier had been first approached by witness.

"Who drew up these documents?" counsel queried.

"Mr. Alex. Anderson."

"What did you do with the documents and papers which Gauthier gave to you?"

"I only got some memoranda of his own."

TORE PAPERS UP

"Well, where are they?"

"I think I tore them up. "I may have some of them yet."

Mr. McArthur said that Gauthier first claimed $12,500 for damages and commissions which he said he lost through the action of Mr. Paterson in cancelling orders which he had placed with distilleries in the Old Country. "Gauthier got down to $9,000, and settled with me at $5,000."

Mr. Farris asked witness whether he had made any promise to Gauthier that he would pay him $20,000 in two months' time.

"None whatever," Mr. McArthur answered.

"When you were talking to Mr. Paterson, did he know that you were going to pay Gauthier $5,000?"

"No."

"Did Mr. Stewart, factories inspector, tell you that he had paid Gauthier the sum of $3,000?"

"No."

"Did he pay any money to Gauthier?"

"Not that I know of."

TELLS OF INTERVIEW

Mr. Mackenzie Matheson, Vancouver attorney, who said he was first engaged by Mr Gauthier on September 20, 1924, testified that he had an interview with Gauthier towards the end of December, 1924, when they discussed for three hours the subject matter of Gauthier's claim against Mr. Paterson.

Mr. Farris: "Was the matter of commissions discussed at that interview?"

"Yes, shortly after Gauthier came in. I put the quest point-blank to him: 'Was there any agreement, tacit or otherwise, with any of the parties named in the conversation, namely, Dr. Sutherland, Mr. Buckham or Senator Bostock, involving (as I put it, graft, or as to the division of profits or the splitting of commissions,' and he assured me that there was none.

Witness said that he next asked Gauthier why these men went out of their way to assist him. Gauthier replied that he had persuaded them that it was good business for the Government to get better liquor at a less price and that he could accomplish that result.

DOCUMENT NOT IDENTICAL

Mr. Cowan told the commission that it was most important that Senator Bostock be called to give evidence. He alluded to the fact that two documents had been produced at the commission, both purporting to contain the writing which was on the credential that Bostock gave to Gauthier. The two documents were not identical, he said.

"Senator Bostock signed on February 28, 1923, the credential, and gave it to Gauthier before the latter left Ottawa. The letter presented to the commission, signed by Senator Bostock, bears the date of March 5, 1923. I think that the Senator has attempted to reproduce the wording of the original credential, and that the credential alleged to be the original here is not the original at all."

Mr. Justice Morrison suggested that respective counsel get together and draft a letter in the form of a questionnaire, seeking to clear up this question as to what the wording of the credential the Senator gave Gauthier was. His lordship stated that he would transmit the communication to Senator Bostock and consider the reply when it was received.

MR. STEWART ILL

Mr. Farris informed the commission that Mr. Stewart, inspector of factories, who Gauthier alleged paid him $3,000 when he arrived back in British Columbia from the Old Country, was ill at Mayo's, in Rochester, and would be unable to testify before the commission.

Mr. Twigg said that his submission was that the said $3,000, claimed to have been paid by Stewart to Gauthier, had come out of Liberal campaign funds.

"It has been conclusively established that Dr. Sutherland had nothing whatever to do with this alleged payment," said Mr. Farris.

Mr. Cowan said to Mr. Farris that if he would admit tha this money came out of campaign funds, there would be no need to examine Mr. Stewart.

"I have no such information. We have the sworn evidence of both Dr. Sutherland and Mr. Buckham that they never knew of any payment of $3,000 having been made by Mr. Stewart to Gauthier," Mr. Farris replied.

HON. DR. SUTHERLAND

Hon. Dr. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, took the stand, and said that in November, 1922, Mr. Buckham had come to his office, introduced Gauthier to him, and said he wanted to help him secure some orders for liquor. He said he had some French agencies and if he could secure some more it would help him out. Mr. Buckham introduced Gauthier as a friend, said he was well connected in the East, and asked witness to speak to Mr. Paterson. The interview was very short.

"I did not give it as my opinion that it would be a good thing for Gauthier to go to the Old Country," said Dr. Sutherland, answering J. B. Pattullo, Government counsel.

"Gauthier said something about better and cheaper booze, but I did not pay much attention as I always thought Mr. Paterson was buying the best liquor possible at the best prices.

"I said so little I do not see how Gauthier came to the conclusion I was in charge of liquor buying for the Government."

Antiquary whisky was discussed briefly, said witness, Mr. Buckham mentioning that there was no agent for it.

"I never saw Gauthier again in Victoria in connection with the matter until now," said Dr. Sutherland.

"I had no code communication. There was no reason for one. I was not acting for him. Anything I did I did for Mr. Buckham.

Witness said he never saw Gauthier in Vancouver. He never discussed commissions or orders with him.

"ABSOLUTELY FALSE"

"It is absolutely false," Dr. Sutherland said when Mr. Pattullo read paragraph five of the affidavit in which Gauthier says in February, 1922, he met Dr. Sutherland in his office and the Minister told him to hold himself in readiness to go to England and asked him to go through a list of brands of whisky.

"Was there any such interview?" asked Mr. Puttullo. "Absolutely none," said witness.

Dr. Sutherland told of meeting Gauthier in Ottawa in March, 1922. He was going to Ottawa on departmental business. Gauthier said he was staying there with his brother-in-law, and asked witness to phone him. Mr. Buckham had asked him to see Senator Bostock about securing a letter of introduction from Senator Bostock for Gauthier to help him secure an agency for liquor. He saw Senator Bostock and explained that all orders secured would be subject to the ap-

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U.C.T. Council Selects Officers

The United Commercial Travelers, Victoria Council No. 434, held its monthly meeting on Saturday night, a large attendance being present. The new officers were installed into their respective offices for the year, Past Councellor Gordon Denholm being entrusted with the position of installing officer. Special business in connection with the convention which is being held in this city in June was fully discussed.

The new officers are as follows: Senior counsellor, A. C. Lindsay; junior counsellor, L. G. Wodehouse; past councillor, C. M. Marshall; secretary-treasurer, E. M. McConnan; chaplain, W. Hayward; conductor, R. W. Murdock; page, W. A. Humberstone; sentinel, P. W. Walker; executive, Messrs. F. Beech, R. Jamieson, W. Webster and E. J. Fatt.

The next regular meeting will be held on Saturday, May 21.

ORIENTAL CHILDREN HAVE LESS CHANCE IN ILLS OF INFANCY

The mortality among Asiatic children born here is five times as great as among the white children, the infant mortality rate being 146.3 per thousand with Orientals, as against 28.8 for Caucasians. The average death rate here is 34.4 per thousand for all infants.

The total number of births last year was 734, exactly the same as 1925, and a decline on the three preceding years. The birth rate in 1922 was twenty-four per thousand, and last year 18.9 per thousand.

The death rate, exclusive of stillborns, was 13.3 per thousand in 1926, numbering 516, a slight increase on the two preceding years. The marriages totalled 406, a rate of 18.4 per thousand.

These figures are derived from the report of the City Health Officer, Dr. A. G. Price, presented to the City Council Monday.

Police Court Cases

Charged with distributing betting information, Frank Brown was fined $50 by Magistrate Jay in the City Police Court yesterday morning. Pleading guilty to a charge of vagrancy, Bryan Quigg was sentenced to one month's imprisonment. On a similar charge Juen Yuen, a Chinaman, was also sentenced to one month in jail.

KORAN BLAMED FOR TURKISH MURDERS

Rev. M. B. Parounagian Tells Kiwanians of Sufferings of Armenians —Contribution to War

The teachings of the Koran are at the root of hatred of the Turks for the Armenians, Rev. M. B. Parounagian, native Armenian, who emigrated to the United States and later graduated from Drew Seminary, Chicago, told Kiwanians at their luncheon at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday.

Mr. Parounagian said he was sometimes asked to explain why the Turks hated and massacred the Armenians. The latter, he said, were the first nation to adopt the religion of Jesus Christ. The Mohammedans were taught in the Koran that the extermination of Giaours, or Christians, was pleasing to Allah. Thus, he said, arose the frightful butcheries perpetrated by the Turks.

The speaker sketched the extent of the Turkish massacres of Christians, mentioning the slaughter of nationals in Greece, Rumania, Bosnia, Serbia, Herzegovina, Albania and Bulgaria.

Outlining the relations between nations of Western Europe and the Balkans, including the Kaiser's alliance with Constantinople, he praised the British for their sense of fair play.

Mr. Parounagian described the suffering of the Armenians during the Great War and the steadfastness with which they remained loyal to the Christian religion at the cost of terrible persecution.

The Turks had offered the Armenians safety if they would renounce their religion and accept Mohammedanism. But the Armenians had refused and their refusal had brought death to one million of them. Half a million had been driven from their homes to starve in the desert. At the close of the war, 150,000 orphans had been thrown upon the charity of the world.

DESCRIBES MASSACRE

Illustrating his references to the cruelty of the Turks, the speaker described how a party of professors were slain by their oppressors. The Turks, he said, had soaked the clothing of their victims in kerosene on their refusal to embrace Mohammedanism, and setting fire to them had burned them alive. Of 400 beautiful girls, promised safety in Turkish harems if they would give up their religion, not one had forsworn Christianity in the face of the threat of death."

"You cannot realize how lucky you are to be born free," Mr. Parounagian exclaimed.

Refuting the accusation that Armenians had not fought in the Great War, the speaker declared that 250,000 had fought with the forces of the Allies.

He expressed appreciation of the relief work already done for Armenian sufferers and urged his hearers to be generous when further calls should be made on their charity.

Mr. Parounagian criticized the United States for its European debt settlement policy and deplored the American refusal to accept a mandate over Armenia after the war.

Mr. Fred White sang two songs.

Good Will Flyers End Flight at Washington

WASHINGTON, May 3.—The army good will flyers, who circled South America by airplane, ended their journey here yesterday. They were received by President Coolidge and a large contingent of high officials.

City of Guelph Gets Portrait of Founder

Photograph of oil portrait by Joshua Smith, R.B.A., of the late John Galt, founder of the city of Guelph, Ont., one hundred years ago. The painting was presented by the descendants of Mr. Galt to the city of Guelph in connection with the centenary celebration.

News and Notes of Realty in Victoria and District

—By H. D. PATTERSON—

Sales last week were few and far between. The trough of the last wave has no doubt now been reached, and the next period will likely record a rise towards the crest of the following wave. It is understood that one or two large residential deals are under way, and rumors have been heard of a quite important transaction in business property, but no details could be ascertained.

Coles, Howell & Co., Ltd., report that they have sold a six-acre tract in the Cadboro Bay district to some newcomers from the Mainland. These people intend to establish a Winter home there, and they will develop this property into a fine lanscaped private park and Alpine gardens.

Lee & Parsons have sold a house on Battleford Street to a buyer from Edmonton, a house in the Cloverdale district to a local man who is buying for investment, and a farm in the Renfrew district to a resident of that locality.

The Victoria Realty Co. has sold a large old residence on lower Hillside to a local contractor, who will recondition it.

R. G. Christy & Co., Ltd., report the sale of a bungalow of five rooms in James Bay to a local purchaser.

R. V. Winch & Co., Ltd., have disposed of two lots on St. Patrick Street to local investors.

The Royal Trust Company report sales of a seven-room house on Russell Street to an up-Island resident, and a house of eight rooms in the Fernwood district to a Victoria family.

AMONG THE ARCHITECTS

Additional details have been secured from Messrs. Spurgin & Johnson, associate architects, with regard to the bungalow court now being built on Prespect Place for Mr. Charles Walkden. The interior plan of each of these bungalows is typical. Incorporated into the structure is a patio or walled court, floored in cement in imitation of tiles. From this one enters a hall, on the left of which is a living-room 13 feet by 22 feet, with dining recess, beamed ceiling and large fireplace of special design, being a patent heating fire imported from the United States. The hall, which contains a coat cupboard, gives access also to bedrooms and kitchen. On the ground floor are two bedrooms, 12 feet 10 inches by 13 feet and 10 feet by 13 feet, with a bay, each provided with electric fireplace, ample clothes closet, built-in dresser and wash basin. The bathroom, with built-in tub, medicine chest and toilet, is placed between the bedrooms. The kitchen contains electric range, special sink, shelving, bins, drawers, iron board, linen closet and large cooler. Access is had to fuel room from kitchen, also from living-room to back stair hall and fuel room.

There will be one large bedroom upstairs in some of the houses, in others, two bedrooms, lighted by dormer windows.

A feature of these bungolows is that they are built of hollow tile on a concrete wall with a sub-foundation, and as there is no basement a layer of lime concrete is spread over the entire area under the floors, which, with the sliding ventilators in the walls, keeps the air under the houses quite dry.

NEWS OF THE BUILDERS

The office and administration building for Yarrows, Ltd., which is being constructed by Luney Bros., is now being roofed. It occupies a commanding position in their shipyard, and is built of hollow tile on stone foundation. Adequate space for the office staff is being provided, also offices for the higher executives. Modern lavatories are being installed and a large fireproof vault is being included. To provide the most convenient access to the entrance it has been necessary to do considerable blasting and road making.

The new sales, service and repair garage for the National Motor Company, Ltd., will include a most modern and up-to-late repair shop. The work benches will be along the west wall, lighted both by windows and skylights. Electric motors will be located at convenient points. Everything has been arranged to provide for the utmost dispatch, consistent with care and good workmanship. Lavatories and a lunch room are being provided for the mechanical staff and other workers. A washing rack will be installed on which cars will be thoroughly cleaned in the shortest space of time. Everything is being designed to give the best possible service to patrons of the local Ford distributors.

OIL TAX CASE WILL GO TO PRIVY COUNCIL

Provincial Government to Carry Appeal to Highest Court of Realm

The Province of British Columbia will appeal the B.C. Fuel Oil Tax case to the Privy Council. Leave to take the appeal to the highest court of the Empire has been obtained and it is thought the matter will be argued before that body some time in July.

The case is one that has its basis in the attempt on the part of the Province to collect a tax from the importers of fuel oil for use in the province. The C.P.R. and the Union Steamship Company were concerned in the action that was taken to the courts.

Mr. Justice Morrison, of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, heard the argument in the original hearing and decided against the Province, the tax being held to be ultra vires of the Province. An appeal to the Appellate Court of the Province resulted in a majority decision of the Court of Appeal being in support of the finding of Mr. Justice Morrison. In turn the case was then taken to the Supreme Court of Canada, where again there was a difference of opinion, but the majority of the court supported the contention of the companies against that of the Crown as represented by the Province.

The case involves, upon the basis of the oil that is used and the present tax, a sum of about $400,000 a year.

The Province will be represented by Mr. J. W. deB. Farris, K.C., who has represented the Crown throughout the passage of the case through the other courts. Mr. E. P. Davis, K.C., appears for the other side.

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To half a cup of thick mayonnaise, made with Colman's Mustard, add 2 tablespoonfuls whipped cream, a dessertspoonful grated horseradish, and 2 of finely chopped cucumbers. Spread the bread with this mixture, then a layer of finely chopped rare beef, cover with more salad dressing and the top slice of bread.

SANDWICHES MADE WITH LEFT OVER MEATS

Put the meat in a chopper, add salt and pepper, and mix well. To 5 tablespoonfuls of this meat add the following preparation: 1 teaspoonful Colman's Mustard mixed in 2 tablespoonfuls of cream and mix in the meat. Spread the mixture between buttered bread. This makes delicious sandwiches for Summer suppers. Ham sandwiches prepared this way are also very appetizing.

FRENCH EGG SALAD

Boil 4 or 5 eggs until hard. Let cool, then cut whites of eggs in thin slices. Now take yolks and make dressing as follows: 3 tablespoons olive oil; 2 tablespoons vinegar, a pinch of salt and pepper; 2 teaspoons Colman's Mustard; a little chopped onion if liked. Beat yolks of eggs, olive oil and mustard to a cream; then add salt, pepper and vinegar, mix with the whites and serve.

CRUMBED HAM AND POTATO

One cup chopped, cooked ham, 2½ cups mashed potatoes, 1 tablespoon shortening, ½ cup breadcrumbs, 1 teaspoon minced parsley, 1 teaspoon minced onion, ½ teaspoon Colman's mustard (made into paste with water), ½ cup hot milk.

Mash the potatoes with the shortening and milk until light and smooth. Add ham and seasonings. Grease baking dish, sprinkle in part of the crumbs. Put in ham and potatoes, sprinkle top with rest of crumbs and bake until top is well browned.

COLD SALMON LOAF

1 package powdered gelatine, 2 tablespoonfuls cold water. The yolks of 2 eggs, 2 teaspoonfuls salt. 1 teaspoonful Colman's Mustard. A few grains cayenne pepper, 1½ tablespoonfuls melted butter, ¾ cup of milk, 2 tablespoonfuls vinegar, 1 can salmon.

Soak the gelatine in cold water for five minutes. Mix the yolks, beaten light, with the salt, mustard and pepper; add the milk, butter and vinegar; pour into a double boiler, stirring constantly until the whole thickens, then add the soaked gelatine and the salmon previously reduced to flakes. Place into a mould and let cool. Turn on a dish dressed with fresh lettuce. Serve with a mayonnaise made with Colman's Mustard.

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THE NEW MILL RATE

The vast majority of the property owners will, we are persuaded, be in accord with Mayor Pendray and the aldermen who supported him in his desire to strike a 37-mill tax rate for the current municipal year. On the strength of the arguments which the Mayor advanced this could have been done and it is possible that the City Council as a whole will regret that it has not followed a policy which would have redounded to the advantage of the collection of taxes on property. As it is the rate of 38 mills has been struck, and only by the slim majority of one. In other words, the City Council is more definitely divided on the subject than it has been for years, and the striking of a mill rate should be an act which is satisfactory to the administration as a whole, or at least to a considerable majority of such a body.

The property owners will look to the Council during the remainder of the year to engage in such enterprise and economy as will put the city into a position where there will be assurance of more definite reduction in taxation during 1928. By enterprise we mean specificially constructive effort to dispose of the reverted lands and make them tax-producing. Since it has only been found possible to afford a minor reduction in taxes this year, attention is again directed to the fact that insufficient land is productive of revenue for the municipality. The present tax problem would not be nearly as serious as it is and there would be no complaints that public services are being starved if there never had been a reverted land problem. Because we have such affords a striking lesson to the City Council that a good deal of its time should be devoted to the restoration of confidence in the city's realty values. We believe this can be done, but it rests, to a great degree, with the City Council to do it. The city in years gone by, through its municipal administrations, assisted in the creation of the conditions that exist today and the people have the right to look to the City Council for the remedy.

In enterprise the City Council can show what can be done in the way of promoting industrial development. By increasing payrolls in the community the property owners will be better able to pay their taxes, there will be a greater demand for land and that means that the property now unproductive will become revenue-producing to private owners and to the municipality. The city has to depend mainly on the land for raising the revenue it requires. Thus its greatest problem is to make every possible inch of land revenue-producing. There should be concentrated effort to see what can be done towards a larger disposal of the reverted lands, for it seems that, for the time being, it is only in that way that the citizens may hope for tax reductions in the immediate future.

Mayor Pendray has done his best in connection with the mill rate and his advice should have been followed, for it would have created a greater feeling of optimism among the citizens. We are certain that the municipal returns for the year will justify the course he proposed. If that is the case it will act as an incentive to the citizens to elect aldermen who will support a definite policy of tax reductions in the future.

THE PRINCESS JULIANA

Her Royal Highness Princess Juliana of Holland came of age on April 30, and the occasion was of more than passing interest to Queen Wilhelmina, to Prince Henry, her Consort, and to the Dutch people, who have been watching, with much solicitude and affection, their Princess's arrival at her eighteenth birthday. The Salic Law is not operative in Holland, so that a woman may succeed to the dynasty established by William the Silent after the Dutch people had finally thrown off the Spanish yoke in the "spacious days" of Good Queen Bess.

The young Princess, upon whom in due course the sovereignty of Holland and her vast East Indian colonial empire will devolve, is to reside in her own palace at The Hague, and means to attend lectures at the University of Leyden. The Dutch people are naturally anxious that their Princess should marry, for she is the sole representative in the direct line of the noble House of Orange-Nassau. Eligible royal princes are none too plentiful in Europe at present. Furthermore, suitors for the hand of the Dutch Princess must, under Dutch law, be Protestants, a fact which must considerably restrict the field of choice. Again, some princes who might wish to aspire to the Royal hand may not care for the role of a mere Prince Consort.

The British Royal House has three "unattached" princes, all of marriageable age. Among the Scandinavian monarchies there are possibly half a dozen, but most of them are very young. However, matters matrimonial as regards Princess Juliana may for the time being be relegated to the background for it is understood that the Princess hopes to graduate from the University of Leyden before considering the prospect of a life partnership. Her Royal Highness possesses great natural charm and dignity. Her beauty is pronounced—being of the type frequently associated with Dutch women—fresh, placid, wholesome and exceeding kindly.

NOCTOVISION

What is said to be "the biggest thing discovered in behalf of travel by air or sea for a very long time" is "Noctovision," or the dark ray which has been invented by Mr. J. L. Baird, who is also the discoverer of television. It is claimed for it that it will penetrate the thickest screen of fog or smoke and demonstrations have been given to this effect; in fact, no darkness can resist its force. The claim made is that it has sixteen times the penetrating power of ordinary light. Within the next few months a steamer is to be equipped with the apparatus and tests made at sea.

One of the greatest dangers of navigation is fog, and practically all inventions to overcome that menace up to the present have proved unavailing. Fog has an unending toll of wrecks to its credit. It is a terror to navigators. Mr. Baird's invention may remove the danger of that menace because it throws a light through the densest barrier of gloom, and, what is more, notifies the presence of any solid object such as another vessel or a rock, because when the "searchlight" comes in contact with such it makes an actual sound on impinging. The character of the sound, it is said, can even determine the nature of the object and thus indicate the kind of precautions that are necessary. Thus the invention, if it is all that is claimed for it, is in the nature of a twofold protection. Practically nothing that could have been discovered as an aid to shipping holds out more salutary prospects than the invisible searchlight.

Most significant of all the changes taking place in China is the signboard of the Woman's Boot Store, according to Professor W. E. Soothill, of Oxford. It is now found in every city. It supplies the Chinese women with beautifully made shoes to wear over her flesh-colored stockings. "If," says Professor Soothill, "I am to look with admiring anxiety on the portentous changes occurring all too rapidly in the East, let me select with the profoundest admiration, not uncoupled with anxiety, the Chinese Woman's Boot Store. There goes the foot that may yet rock the cradle of half the world."

Mr. William Platt, commenting on two articles in The Westminster Gazette—one about woman's chronic unpunctuality and the other on the fact that she lives on an average longer than a man—says: "It occurs to me that perhaps the reason that she lives longer is due to the fact that she is too unpunctual even to die at the right time."

The bobbing of hair, now so universal among women, will probably have the ultimate effect of making the fair sex share with men the penalty of baldness. There is another contributory factor to the loss of hair and that is the wearing of tight hats.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., May 3, 1927.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	45	54
Vancouver	40	54
Kamloops	44	56
Prince Rupert	42	56
Estevan	40	50
Atlin	28	50
Dawson, Y.T.	36	46
Portland, Ore.	48	56
San Francisco, Cal.	52	66
Seattle	44	50
Spokane	42	56
Penticton	44	66
Vernon	44	52
Nelson	36	44
Cranbrook	29	44
Calgary	30	42
Edmonton	32	44
Swift Current	32	46
Prince Albert	28	46
Qu'Appelle	32	42
Winnipeg	38	46

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Fresh to strong south and west winds, partly cloudy, and mild with showers.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Fresh to strong south and west winds on the Gulf, partly cloudy, and mild with showers.

TUESDAY

Maximum	54
Minimum	45
Average	49
Minimum on the grass	43

Bright sunshine, 5 hours, 54 minutes.
Rain, .02 inch.
General state of the weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. Weather Reports

Victoria—Barometer, 29.97; wind, S.W., 20 miles; raining.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.90; wind, S.W., 10 miles; cloudy.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.72; wind, E., 4 miles; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.82; calm; fair.

Estevan—Barometer, 29.84; wind, S.W., 14 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 29.94; wind, S.W., 22 miles; cloudy.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.18; wind, S.W., 14 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.04; wind, S.W., 16 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.04; wind, W., 26 miles; fair.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Alice Michaelis

Long centuries ago men sailed across uncharted seas, bronzed cheeks grew pale and stout hearts quailed before dim mysteries. New world rose up from waters blue and on strange shores men went; but till Earth's utmost ends they knew they could not rest content. Now they have conquered, pole to pole, each stream and mountain-crest is mapped; man knows and rules the whole, sea-lanes mark ocean's breast. Yet still some mysteries remain unfathomed as of old, not all of knowledge men attain can make some veils unfold. Within the soul still deep on blue unplumbed, uncharted lies; strange fires glow, strange forces sleep beyond the seeker's eyes. Few men have conquered every land and sailed on every sea, but still no man can understand the soul's veiled mystery.

Canadian Pacific Railway Excursion to Bellingham Tulip Festival, May 6. Princess Louise leaves Victoria at 9:30 a.m. Adults, $2.05; children, $1. Leave Bellingham 5:30 p.m. Tickets now on sale.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

The "continent to which we belong" is a spasmodic continent. All parts of it, with the exception of our particular part of it, are subject to periodical physical spasms, such as atmospheric disturbances and internal convulsions. Tornadoes and cyclones in some places are followed by earthquakes and floods in other places.

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Then the people of the continent are also subject to periodical temperamental spasms. In fact the spasmodically temperamental people of the continent to which we belong have taken the calendar and divided the year into days and weeks, and assigned every day and every week in the year to some special or specific purpose.

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A special day or week has been assigned to Father, another day or week to Mother, another special day or week to animals of the inferior order, and another special day or week to elemental phenomena, such as Fire and Water. In fact, everything in the heavens above or on the earth beneath has been thought of and assigned its own special day or week.

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On that particular day and during that particular week enthusiastic meetings are held and hysterical speeches are made lauding the character of Father and eulogizing the self-sacrifice of Mother, and resolutions are passed enjoining everybody to be tender in their treatment of cats and dogs and horses and never under any circumstances to lift a hostile hand when a snake appears in your path and sticks its tongue out at you. At the end of the day or the week the meeting disperses, and the purpose of the special day or special week is forgotten, and the enthusiastic celebration of another special day or special week begins.

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As a rule we pay no attention whatever to such temperamental or hysterical celebrations. Our indifference may be due to the fact that we are neither of an emotional character nor of a temperamental disposition. On the other hand, it may be due to the fact that "the common round, the daily task," occupies all our time and consumes all the energy we can spare.

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But we are told this week, beginning with the first of May, which is one of the most interesting weeks of the year, has been assigned to two special purposes. This, we are told, is Music Week and Children's Week. Those are two very important subjects, so highly important that we cannot understand why they should not have been assigned weeks of their own. If we had been consulted when the assignments for the year were being made, assuredly we would have insisted upon a special week for music, another separate and distinct week for the children, and probably we might have insisted upon a special and distinct week for dogs as the most interesting, the truest and the most faithful of all the animals of any order, high or low. The world, and particularly this part of the world which is not subject to external spasms and internal convulsions, would be a very dull, dreary and uninteresting place but for the influence of music, communion with children and the company of dogs.

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The only charge we know of that can truthfully be laid against dogs is the charge that dogs do not love music; but that charge may have been laid in haste, because the average dog when he utters dismal howls as the sounds of sweet music fall upon his ears may be striving to express the feelings of a deeply musical soul. In that respect many human beings are afflicted with a like infirmity; they are born with a song in their hearts, but they are not endowed with the divine gift of a musical voice. We have heard some of them try to sing, and we have heard several dogs sing more melodiously.

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There was a time when Our Street was one of the most interesting streets, if not the most interesting street, in Our City. But Our Street has never been quite the same since Rover heard the imperative call and with feeble steps went forth in quest of the Undiscovered Country which is the ultimate goal of all faithful dogs and less attractive creatures of the higher order. For a time the bereaved children cherished a belief that Rover would come back; but he never came back, and probably his young companions and playmates have forgotten him and his name is not even a memory. Other dogs have arrived upon The Street, and the little ones have adopted them and tried to endow them with some of the qualities of their departed friend; but the place of Rover has never been filled and never can be filled.

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Pete the Rabbit will come at the call of his master and perform a few remarkable "stunts," such as "turning handsprings" and displaying other acrobatic accomplishments, but even the most accomplished of rabbits cannot be expected to fit into the place which was so well filled by Rover. Pete is a timid creature with many natural enemies. He is not endowed with great intelligence. Rover knew more about the ways of the world than most dogs and many men, and feared neither gods, men nor beasts. He was always ready to fight in defence of or to play with the children he had adopted. We fear he will not be happy in the place to which he has been called unless he has been assigned the job of supervising a flock, for the protective instinct was bred in him from the blood of many generations. We believe Rover was given a joyous welcome "over there" and that he is doing there the work he loved to do here.

TO MY OLD SHACK

(At Maple Bay, Vancouver Island, B.C.)

Now I've left you, how I love you
O little shack of mine.
Every nook and cranny of you,
For the sake of auld lang syne,
Is engraved upon my memory
And mirrored in my mind;
And although I'm far, far from you
You were always quiet and kind.
Quiet, at evening when the pine trees
Were whispering soft and low
As the gentle breeze ran through them.
Ah! 'twas then I loved you so.
Kind at night time in the lamplight
When my stove was roaring red,
With my pipes and books around me,
Just before I went to bed.
You were joyous in the morning
When I woke to greet the day,
And I heard the seagulls screaming
On the beach at Maple Bay.
You were welcome in the Winter
When the rain was pouring down,
And in spite of stormy weather,
You have seldom seen me frown.
You were never very tidy,
And I'm always glad of that;
You were rude and rough, but homey,
And the chair on which I sat
Was cracked and bent and broken,
But you did your best to please,
And no matter what the hour was,
No happier times than these.
Now good-bye, my dear old cabin;
Other folk perchance may dwell
Within your peaceful portals,
But they'll never know you well.

—Ralph Younghusband.

Hastings, Sussex, England.

FIVE DISTRICTS IN COMPETITION

Saanich, Richmond, Alberni, Victoria and Courtenay Will Be Rivals at Fall Fair

District exhibits this year will provide an attraction at the Provincial Fall Fair at the Willows, in August, greater than that of any other year since the inception of the show, W. H. Mearns, secretary, announces.

For a long time the B.C. Agricultural Association has endeavored to build up this section of the show, realizing that no greater interest is taken in any exhibit than those entered by the communities. He has received word that there will be no fewer than five communities striving for honors this year, Saanich, Richmond, Alberni, Victoria and Courtenay.

The exhibits will not represent produce gathered a few days before the exhibition to make up a display, but will represent efforts spread over many months of growing time to raise the very finest produce the land is capable of.

The Association hopes the time is not far distant when it will be possible to have entries from every district on Vancouver Island, turning the greatest part of one building over to a friendly contest between sections of the Island.

RESIGNATION

Fate grants no hero's rank to such as I;
No victor's crown in deathless fame unfurled;
For me no noble deeds of purpose high
That ring in widening echoes round the world!
I am of those that fight a subtler foe,
Who, with his servants, Weariness and Pain,
Creeps on with vampire stealth, unseen and slow,
And day by day draws life from heart and brain.
From life's harsh terms I do not seek relief;
Give me but strength the brunt of life to bear.
I would but ask, "Help Thou mine unbelief,"
And faith shall rise triumphant o'er despair.
Teach me submission that I may subdue
The souls' rebellion, and the sullen fires,
Bred from hopes long deferred, which but imbue
The heart with bitterness and vain desires.
Oh! which of us poor mortals has not known
Faith's falterings and doubtings of Thy love?
And tempted been, O Lord, to Thee disown,
When the heart's cry unanswered seems above?
Ah, Lord of all! How often that same cry
Wrung from those lips divine has risen to Thee!
Re-echoing down the ages, heaven-high,
"My God! My God! Hast Thou forsaken Me?"
Oh, grant me patience, Lord! Let sorrow bind
Me closer unto Thee, and let me keep
An open heart for other cares, and find
In other joys the ones I fain would reap.
So life shall yield such sweetness as it may,
And though the way be hard, Thy guiding hand
Shall lead me on until that longed-for day,
When I'll know all, and knowing, understand.

—P. T. Dark.

Victoria, B.C.

FORMER M.P.P. DIES

WINNIPEG, May 3.—Word has just been received from England of the death of Mr. E. P. Leacock, former member of the Manitoba Legislature and pioneer farmer of Birtle, Man. Mr. Leacock, who was eighty-three years old, had been living in retirement near Heybridge Basin, England, for several years. He was elected to the Provincial Legislature in 1882 as a representative of Russell County.

ARCADE NEARLY READY TO OPEN

Premises Formerly Occupied by Gordon's, Limited, Entirely Remodeled—Modern Appointments

Within a week, Victoria's new arcade in the Yates Street building formerly occupied by Gordons Limited, will be ready to throw open its doors to the public, Mr. J. A. Griffith, of The Griffith Company, announced yesterday.

Remodelling of the interior of the building is rapidly nearing completion and already Mr. Griffith has secured four tenants for different stores in the premises.

The new arcade will be thoroughly modern in every respect. The ground floor has been divided into six stores. The partitions are of plate glass and each store will have glass show windows like those of stores fronting on the street. Showcases will also be of glass and thus the view of people standing in the middle of the ground floor will be unimpeded in any direction, enabling their gaze to penetrate into the far corners of the different premises.

The woodwork has been finished in a smart ivory color. Two elevators to the left of the entrance will serve the whole building.

The basement will be divided up into a groceteria, a butcher's shop and a bakery, and the division will follow the same principle as that on the ground floor.

The second floor has been furnished with handsome carpets, fitting rooms and showcases. It will likely be devoted to millinery establishments, catering to needs in different lines of women's apparel.

The four big pillars formerly found on the top floor have been taken out and the ceiling has been swung to four trusses installed on the roof. The entire space has been turned into a beautiful hall with a quartered oak floor suitable for dancing. The walls have been panelled and an artistic color scheme and lighting system adopted. Well-appointed cloakrooms and a kitchen have been installed.

The building is owned by Galt Brothers, of Vancouver, who engaged The Griffith Company to carry out the remodelling. Mr. Griffith has had wide experience in this line of work, having rebuilt and remodelled numerous well-known downtown business structures. The Arcade Building on Government Street rose from the ruins of a fire in accordance with a scheme prepared and carried into execution by Mr. Griffith.

CONTRACTORS AWAIT AWARDING ROAD JOB

Silverton-Slocan Highway Along Lakeside Expected to Be Given at Any Time

The award of the contract for the section of road in the Interior of the Province from Silverton to Slocan along the face of the precipitous shore line of Slocan Lake, is expected at any time. Tenders have been in for some days past, and the representatives of the contracting firms have gathered in the city awaiting the announcement of the decision of the Department of Public Works.

The section of road that is now being let is about six or eight miles in length, and will afford connection southward with Nelson. The highway is one that represents some heavy work, owing to the character of the territory covered along the steep sides of the mountains overlooking the lake there.

General Warehouse Premises Bear Evidence of Attack

An unsuccessful attempt to enter the General Warehouse, Yates Street, occurred some time between closing time Saturday and 9 o'clock on Monday morning.

These nocturnal visitors must have worked hard; all entrances having been attacked, in the opinion of the proprietor, Mr. F. Spencer, after making an investigation. It was the rear entrance where most effort was concentrated, two large iron doors being forced from the brick wall, the hinges being torn like paper. The cracksmen were opposed by two heavy inner doors, which were barred and braced from the inside; they succeeded in breaking the lock, but nothing short of a bucksaw or a sledge hammer would have any effect against such protection. They must have then turned their attention to another rear door, the bolts and staples being torn out, only to lead them to a woodshed.

The matter was reported to the police for investigation.

Smoking Concert to Be Held at Old Men's Home

A smoking concert will be held tomorrow evening at the Old Men's Home, Oak Bay, under the auspices of the Britannia Post of the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L. The arrangement of the concert has been left in the hands of Mr. Tom Obee.

The following artists will lend their aid: Harry Brown, banjoist; Eric Chalmers, elocutionist and impersonator; Tom Obee, comedian; Nabbie Faulkner, tin whistle; Enrie Uglow, artist with bones; W. Chatters, selections on harmonica; Jack Davies, tenor soloist; Boyd MacGill, shawdowgraph; Billy Draper, tenor; Masters Gould and Chris Muller, violin duets; Ernest Haegi, accordion solo; Jimmy Howard, comedian (from the Coliseum Theatre); Misses Doreen Davis, Doris Jewel and Margaret Foyer, in song and dance. Mrs. Jack Davies and Mr. William Draper will be at the piano. The concert will commence at 8 o'clock.

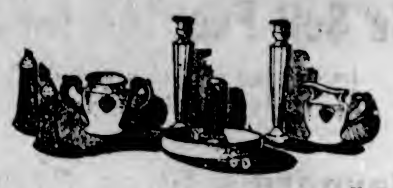
FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist, May 4, 1877)

The Pacific Railway—In the Commons, April 19, Mr. Bunster asked whether it is the intention of the Government to cause instructions to be given to the engineer-in-chief of the Canadian Pacific Railway survey to have the surveying staff about to be sent to British Columbia during the present season retained in the Province until such time as all work on which they may be engaged shall have been completed. Mr. MacKenzie said no instructions had as yet been given for the season. Work is expected by the Government to be completed early on the Fraser River.

Queen's Regatta—At a meeting held last night at the Boomerang, Captain Cooper in the chair, at which Dr. Matthews, Messrs. Borcowitz, Bennett, Gowen, Vinter, Wilson, Street and others were present, a committee was formed to make arrangements for a regatta for the 24th of May.

General Grant—It is rumored that General Grant has been offered the command of the Turkish armies. The General and family sailed for Europe.



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Oscar Robinson, Abductor of Wong Foon Sing Two Years Ago, Convicted as Swindler

VANCOUVER, May 3.—Oscar Robinson, private dective, was convicted in the Assize Court today of obtaining money by false pretences. He was remanded by Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald for sentence. The charge was that Robinson obtained three sums of money, $300, $100 and $10 from W. A. L. Griffiths on the representation that he would get a bootlegging charge in police court against Griffith withdrawn.

While in the witness box in his own behalf Robinson was asked by Mr. J. N. Ellis, K.C., if he had ever been convicted before.

"Yes."

"What was that for?"

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"He was ready for that question," commented Mr. Justice McDonald.

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SAANICH CONSTABLE SEVERELY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Constable Cawsey, of the Saanich police, who was severely injured in an accident yesterday afternoon, is reported resting comfortably in the St. Joseph's Hospital.

The constable was driving his motorcycle south on Quadra Street when he came in collision with an automobile driven east on Johnson Street by Mr. J. Wilson, of 113 McCaskell Street.

Dr. R. L. Miller was called to the scene of the accident and examined Mr. Cawsey, who was in a semi-conscious state. He was suffering from concussion and a bad wound over the left eye.

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FRUIT GROWERS COMPLAIN OF LOSS FROM LATE FROSTS THIS SEASON

Situation Experienced on Island Is Common to All Parts of Country

The fruit sections of the country about Victoria are presenting at this time a very attractive appearance with the tree fruits coming into full bloom. The cherry trees are now either in bloom or in some cases are shedding the blossom. Other fruit trees are just coming into flower, producing a scene that is difficult to surpass.

While this is true the fact remains that the farmers of the district, in common with the other parts of the Province, and of the whole Coast for that matter, are concerned over the fact that the season is so late. Not only has the weather been backward, but there are not wanting instances of the earlier crops being seriously damaged by late frost, which have visited the different sections from time to time.

The Department of Agriculture reports that from the Okanagan come complaints that there has evidently been some damage to the stone fruits as a result of the conditions that have prevailed. Cherries, apricots and peaches have suffered some loss from the late frosts.

On Vancouver Island this also applies, but the peach and the apricot production is not a commercial prospect on the Island, and therefore this does not materially affect the market situation. It is, however, reported that cherries and even pears have suffered somewhat from the untimely frosts. This will not, it is expected, be very material in its character.

SOFT FRUIT

The fruitgrowers of Vancouver Island and elsewhere in the Province are just now concerned about the outlook for the season in the line of production. The backward weather may not in the end of the season be altogether an unalloyed disadvantage. In the case of some of the small fruits the plants are becoming well established and the fruit may, with favorable weather conditions, later produce a large-sized and a good quality of fruit.

The Department of Agriculture reports that in the Okanagan there has been some damage done similar to what has taken place in the Lower Mainland also on Vancouver Island. This has to do with the strawberry crop which it has been found has suffered from the frosts that came somewhat late and out of season.

The first bloom of the strawberries, in many instances, is black at the centre and will therefore be nonproductive. To offset this the plants, if not making very rapid growth, are manifesting a sturdy development and with the moisture that is in the ground may be expected under more favorable conditions to give a good account.

On Vancouver Island strawberries are one of the leading crops and the local growers announce that while the crop will be at least two weeks behind what it should be there has undoubtedly been some loss from the frosts that affected the bloom that would have ushered in the first part of the crop.

RASPBERRY CROP

On the Mainland it is reported that the strawberry crop is not likely to be over a seventy-five per cent one. There has also on the Mainland been considerable Winter killing of the raspberry canes with consequent depletion of the crop. It is anticipated, in fact, that the crop in this line will be cut down to about fifty per cent. This is a crop that does not come in for very much consideration on the Island where raspberries are not produced in a commercial line to any great extent.

In the matter of the loganberries which now play an important part in the Island crop, the production will be much lighter per acre than last year. In view of the fact that there is a very decided increase in the acreage that has been planted to this fruit the total production on the Island will be well up probably to the crop of last year.

Machine Gun Company Will Stage Flanders Night at Armories

"A Night in Flanders" is the name given a novel entertainment which will be staged by members of the 11th Canadian Machine Gun Battalion at the Armories, Bay Street, on Thursday. The surprise attack will be made at 8 o'clock and all other ranks and their friends are advised to have their gas masks and full marching order kit ready to make the advance.

The mess-room, which will be the scene of hostilities, will be made to resemble the battlefields of Flanders, while the only trenches to be seen will be those of the Canadian soldier. Sandbags will be conspicuous, while the candle that has been a heavenly light on many a night in the days gone by will spring back into prominence.

The quartermaster reports that his ration supply is complete. A first-class supporting programme has been arranged and it is expected that the Orderly-Sergeant will call the roll just before "Lights Out."

Anyone wishing to attend is requested to communicate with No. 1 Orderly Room, when the pass will be made out with military promptitude.

"My child, when you grow up you will have my face!"

"Can't I stay little, father?"—P'st, Constantinople.

Canadian Pacific Railway Excursion to Bellingham Tulip Festival, May 6. Princess Louise leaves Victoria at 9:30 a.m. Adults, $2.05; children, $1. Leave Bellingham 5:30 p.m. Tickets now on sale.

—Photograph Young.

A Saanich Cherry Orchard on the Farm of Mr. E. P. Johnston.

MRS. SARAH BAHR IS CLAIMED BY DEATH

There died at the Jubilee Hospital, yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Sarah Bahr, of 121 Kingston Street, resident of this city for forty-two years. She was born in Liverpool sixty-seven years ago, left there at the age of fifteen years for Eastern Canada, residing there and in the Eastern States for a number of years before coming to Victoria. Her husband, the late Mr. F. W. T. Bahr, was superintendent with Weller Bros. for twenty-seven years, and operated a furniture repairing factory of his own for six years before his death. There were thirteen children of the marriage, eight of whom are still living: Mrs. Charles Griffiths, Mrs. A. Stancombe, Mr. Alem Bahr, Mr. Elsworth Bahr and Miss Muriel Bahr, of this city; Mrs. A. Parsons, Mrs. W. S. Green and Mrs. P. J. Murphy, of Vancouver. The funeral will take place from the Thomson Undertaking Parlors on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Obituary

MONK—Mrs. Elizabeth Smythe Monk, widow of the late John Charles Monk, died Monday at the residence, 1815 Chambers Street. She was 87 years old, was born in Lakestone, Kent, England, and had been a resident of this city for fifty-four years. Mrs. Monk leaves two sons, Edward J., in Victoria, and Charles W., in Seattle. The body is at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. Funeral service will be private.

SHEE—There died at the St. Joseph's Hospital, on Sunday, Chan Shee, wife of Wong Quon, of 542 Cormorant Street, aged forty-three years; born in Sin Ming, Canton, China. The body is at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment will be in the Chinese Cemetery.

METRO—The funeral of Kleanthes John Metro took place yesterday afternoon from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. Dr. Campbell officiating. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. J. W. Meldram, W. A. Kippen, J. Paul, J. H. Young, J. Ksolakoopolos and J. Douglas. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park.

GILBERT—There died in this city on Sunday, Ada Gilbert, wife of Mr. John Edward Gilbert, of 334 Hillside Avenue, aged sixty-one, born in Leeds, Yorkshire, England, and a resident of Victoria for twenty years. She leaves besides her husband two brothers, James Wilmshurt in Victoria and Frederick Wilmhurst in Vancouver. The body is at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Clem Davis will conduct the service. Interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park.

SYLVESTER—The funeral of (baby) Genevieve Elizabeth Sylvester took place yesterday from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. F. H. Fatt officiating. The pallbearers were Messrs. Joseph Bull, George Rogers, William Knowles and William Stacey. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park.

HENERY—The death took place on Monday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of Mrs. Elizabeth Ann Henery, aged sixty-five years, born in Liverpool, England, and a resident of this city for ten months, at 1319½ Broad Street. The body will be forwarded tonight by the Sands Funeral Co. to Vancouver for cremation.

MOLYNEAUX—The body of Mr. Hugh Molyneaux will arrive in this city today and will rest at the Sands Funeral Chapel, where the funeral will take place on Friday at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Dr. W. L. Clay will officiate and interment will be in Royal Oak Burial Park. Mr. Molyneaux died on April 23 at Atlin, where he had been road superintendent for twenty-eight years. He was a member of Atlinto Lodge A.F. & A.M. He is survived by his widow, Margaret Carruthers Molyneaux, of 1773 Denman Street; his daughter, Mrs. A. McGillivery Morrison; two grandsons, Hugh Mullin Molyneaux and Allan Donald Morrison; one brother, James, at Ottawa, and a nephew in Saanich.

WALKER—The funeral of Mrs. Dorothy Marie Walker and infant daughter, who died at St. Joseph's Hospital on April 30, took place yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. J. S. Paterson and Rev. W. M. Scott officiated. The pallbearers were Messrs. W. Collons, S. Smith, Stanley Rife, R. Cross, Alex. Wallace and J. Walker. Burial was in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

RIMES—The funeral of Mrs. Emily Rimes, who died at the Royal Jubilee Hospital last Saturday, took place yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. W. J. Sippreil officiated and the pallbearers were Messrs. R. H. Rimes, N. M. Spratt, O. N. Smith and S. de T. Cunningham. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Bandits Rob Woman Of $10,000 in Gems

NEW ORLEANS, May 3.—Nearly $10,000 in diamonds, including diamond-studded garters, were forcibly removed from Mrs. John Abrahams, wife of a well-known sportsman, by bandits in a city park here last night.

Mrs. Clarke—How is it that you are so familiar with the Aldens' private affairs?

Mrs. Foster—We looked after their parrot last week-end.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

DIAMOND JUBILEE PAGEANT

Sir,—Many good suggestions have been laid before the Confederation Celebration Committee and amongst them is one from the Hon. Mr. Justice Martin outlining a pageant in seven scenes or tableaux, depicting important landmarks in Canadian history. It seems an excellent suggestion, but the seventh and last scene might perhaps be slightly amended so as to give satisfaction to the largest possible number of our citizens. I understand that this last scene is to show Canada standing alone, in adult perfection, glorious and independent. Such pictorial illustration will make a vivid and lasting impression on the minds of our children; and we cannot be too careful to make the right and best impression.

This seventh tableau seems to me to symbolize a fundamental principle of our beliefs. Could it not be so arranged that Canada would stand glorious, in adult perfection, the central figure of a group in which she grasps the hand of Britain with La Belle France at her side, and her comrades, the other great Dominions, grouped around her. There could be nothing in this to antagonize our fellow countrymen of Quebec, and it would surely represent the love and loyalty we of British Columbia bear for our Dominion. The celebration of July 1 commemorating the Diamond Jubilee of Confederation will be the finest this city has ever held. The historical pageant should be one of the outstanding features. Do not let us end the harmonious progression of our national history with a discordant note.

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AUTHOR WELCOMES PRAYERS OF ALL

George Bernard Shaw Proclaims Impartiality to All Creeds—London Curious as to Beliefs

LONDON, May 3.—Declaring that he needs the prayers of all the churches, George Bernard Shaw has proclaimed his impartiality respecting the various religious bodies of the world, according to a letter attributed to him by The Daily Express.

The University of London Catholic Society has been trying, the paper says, to ascertain the dramatist's religious views, and its secretary, Maurice Leahy, wrote him that a woman had commissioned a Jesuit father to say a mass for Shaw's immediate conversion to Catholicism. The letter asked also whether G.B.S. approved of others praying for him.

"Lots of people pray for me," The Express quotes Mr. Shaw as saying, "and I have never been any the worse for it. One old lady made me wear a medal of the Blessed Virgin for a year as an experiment. The only valid argument against the practice is that God knows his own business without any promptings, but this at best overlooks the good it does people to pray for others.

"I cannot very well join any separate church because a dramatist must be impartial and make no distinction between Allah, Brahma or any other names, but I need the prayers of all the churches and I beg you to continue as long as you can keep up sufficient interest in so limited a mortal."

ORGANIZATION ASKS REMOVAL OF HOUSES

Victoria West Brotherhood Active in Efforts to Clean Up and Beautify Locality

In keeping with their aim of beautifying the district, the Victoria West Brotherhood will ask the City Council to remove four houses at the corner of Henry and Catherine Streets.

Mr. Leonard Nicholls was recommended at the meeting as a suitable supervisor for Victoria West Park during the business meeting under President C. F. Banfield.

A display of outside Spring flowers to encourage gardeners will be held each month, impetus being given to the suggestion yesterday by a colorful array of tulips, daffodils, primroses, and many other early blossoms in charge of Mr. J. W. Mercer. Prize winners were judged by popular vote. Gladioli bulbs were available for all, distributed with the idea of flowers being grown for the Fall Flower Show, to be held in August.

Over 100 persons were present during card games and dancing which followed the regular business.

INCOMPLETE

A magician, standing on the stage, was about to do one of his great tricks, but needed some assistance from the audience.

"If some lady will come up the stage," he announced, "I will stand hre upon that pedestal and make her disappear—"

"If ye can wait a minute," cried a man in the stalls, "I'll buzz home and get my old woman."

Paying no attention to the interrupter, the conjuror continued:

"I'll make her disappear and then bring her back again."

"Oh, if that's all," yelled the man who had interrupted, "never mind my old woman."

Will Be Installed in Office Here Tomorrow

MR. JAMES H. FLETCHER

Prominent Victoria business man, who will direct the destinies of the local Rotary Club during the next twelve months. President-elect Fletcher and the other 1927 officials of the organization will be installed in office tomorrow night at the annual banquet, which will be held in the Empress Hotel ballroom, commencing at 6:30 o'clock. District Governor James H. Beatty will deliver an address during the function, which will be attended by Rotarians and their ladies. Dancing will conclude the evening's festivities.

City & District

Real Estate Meeting—The annual general meting of the Victoria Real Estate Board will be held today at the Chamber of Commerce at 12:30 o'clock.

Will Test Tobacco Growing—Hon. T. G. Coventry, M.P.P., will make a test of the growing of tobacco in the Saanich Peninsula this Summer. He believes there is an opportunity afforded the owner of land in this district to make big returns from tobacco.

Presentation to Mr. North—Mr. Joseph North has received a handsome engraved cigarette case from the Victoria Bicycle Club in recognition of aid he has given to the club. Mr. Walker, the secretary, made the presentation at the Y.M.C.A. last evening.

Police Dance—The Victoria City Police will give a dance at headquarters on Friday evening. Dancing will begin at 8:30 o'clock and last until 11:30 o'clock. Bishop's Orchestra will supply the music. The police have earned an enviable reputation as hosts and it is expected that there will be a large number of guests at Friday night's affair. The series of police dances will end on May 27.

To Explain Movement—As many members of the Men's Canadian Club who can make the trip are expected to go out to Sidney tonight to attend the public meeting which is being held at 8 o'clock, in Berquist Hall, under the auspices of the club. Mr. H. C. Hall, K.C., and Mr. B. C. Nicholas will discuss the aims and objects of the Canadian Club movement and the Diamond Jubilee of the Confederation of Canada. It is anticipated that a large number of Sidney residents will be present.

COMMISSION TOLD OF ILLEGAL FISHING

Government Patrol Boat Used by Patrolman in Unlawful Operations, Witness Declares on Stand

VANCOUVER, May 3.—The Government fishery patrol boat C. L. Rose was used by Patrolman M. M. Williams for illegal fishing operations in Smith's Inlet, J. Boyd, former fishery guardian, stated at a resumed sitting of the McKenzie commission this afternoon. The commission is investigating charges of illegal fishing and alleged bribery of patrol officers. Williams appeared in court before Judge Cayley, Tuesday afternoon, charged with aiding and abetting, and F. Christensen, another officer, with accepting bribes from fishermen.

Boyd stated he was in charge of the inlet during last year. Hearing of irregularities on the part of Williams, he informed Overseer Saugstead, and used his own authority to take the boat from Williams before the arrival of the overseer, he said.

Fred Hemsworth, wireless operator at the Margaret Bay Cannery in 1925, said he had heard of fish being caught during the closed period by some of the more daring fishermen.

HOSPITAL BANS BOBBED HEADS

FOUR NURSES EXPELLED BY CALGARY INSTITUTION FOR TRIMMING HAIR

Two of Girls Within Month of Graduation—Prompt Dismissal Follows Disobedience of Orders

CALGARY, May 3.—Four nurses in training were notified at the Holy Cross Hospital today that they had been discharged from the institution because they had trimmed their hair. Two of them had written their final examinations and would have been graduated in a month's time. They had secured their graduating clothes, their graduating pictures had been taken and their diplomas had been made out. The other two girls had been in training for two years at the institution and would have graduated in a year's time.

About a year ago thirty nurses at this hospital bobbed their hair. The leaders in the movement were dismissed, but the others were kept on.

The sister superintendent of the hospital tonight said the two girls in question had bobbed their hair with the others a year ago. Following the discipline at that time, the nurses had allowed their hair to grow and when they appeared bobbed again, dismissal followed.

RAILWAY EMPLOYEES CONSIDERING STRIKE

Canadian Pacific Dispute Becomes Keener—Men Decide to Take Ballot on Course

MONTREAL, May 3.—Strike ballots will be distributed at once to all the locals of the Brotherhood of Railway Clerks, Freight Handlers and Station Employees of the Canadian Pacific Railway throughout Canada. This was announced here tonight after a meeting of the Brotherhood. The ballots will be returnable on May 21.

For several months the men and the company have been at loggerheads. The men asked for an increase which the company did not grant and the matter was taken to a Board of Conciliation which awarded the men an increase of four cents an hour. The company has not complied with this decision and the various parleys between the men and the officials of the company having failed it was decided by the men to take a strike ballot.

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PRO PATRIA BRANCH

The regular meeting of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion of the B.E.S.L. will be held tonight in the clubrooms at 8 o'clock.

ARMY AND NAVY VETERANS

The monthly meeting of the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada, Unit No. 12, will be held Thursday, May 12, at 8 o'clock, in the clubrooms.

"Canada's National Parks" will be the subject of a lecture to be given at the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion, 625 Courtney Street, tomorrow at 8 o'clock. Captain Forster, who served as a padre of the 8th Battalion for three years during the Great War, will be the speaker.

THE HINT

Len and Lizzie were walking home along the country lane. They had been to market and the youth carried a young pig under one arm and a tub under the other.

Suddenly Lizzie began to quicken her pace.

"Hi, why are ye runnin' away like that?" called out Len.

"I was afraid you might—might try to kiss me, Len," giggled the girl over her shoulder.

"How could I, wi' this 'ere pig under me arm and a tub under the other?"

"Well," faltered the girl, "I was afraid you might think o' putting the pig down and puttin' the tub over it."

HIS ONLY HOPE

The passengers in a big sports car were having a lively little argument whether or not they could beat a train to a level crossing.

"Don't get excited," cried the man at the wheel. "I can do it easily."

"And I declare you can't," yelled the man beside him. "The train is going a lot faster than us."

"Rot," said the driver, standing on his accelerator in a final effort, while the argument continued amongst the others.

"Well," said a passenger in the rear seat, who had been silent so far, "I don't care who wins this race, but I hope it won't be a tie."

HER PUNISHMENT

Dora had been a bad girl, and her mother decided that a lecture would do a deal of good. Accordingly, she called her daughter on one side and the lecture took place.

"Dora," admonished the girl's mother, "you must stop this abominable flirting. Remember, you'll be punished in the end!"

"But, mother," protested the girl, "I have heard that you flirted yourself, and you've never been punished."

The older woman frowned.

"Child," she returned with great solemnity, "some day I want you to make a close study of your father."

Annual Fur Auction Ends at New York

NEW YORK, May 3.—Wolverine, north wildcat and badger made the best showing at the concluding session of the annual Spring fur auction here, which ended today with sales totaling more than $5,000,000. Best wolverine pelts brought $33, and the whole collection advanced twenty-five per cent. Northwestern wildcat reached $19.75. Heavy pale badger touched $24.75 and advanced ten per cent. Other badger was unchanged. Marmot dropped twenty per cent and house cat ten per cent. Best "Tabbies" brought 66 cents each.

The Mistress—"Where is the sponge I asked you to buy?"

Servant—"I couldn't see a good one. They all had holes in them."

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Miss Ina Hendry, experienced hairdresser (late of Maison Tyrrell's), wishes to announce her co-operation with Miss Winifred Tunley, hairdresser. Room A, Campbell Building. Phone 971.

Miss Hanman will leave Victoria this Summer for an indefinite period, appointments should be made without delay. Electrolysis is a treatment which cannot be hurried. 22 The Winch Building.

Visit the Anchorage Tea Gardens, Brentwood Bay, the most restful place on Saanich Peninsula. Afternoon tea and lunches, home cooking, good fishing; boats and canoes for hire. Service.

The Ladies' Aid, Reformed Episcopal Church, will hold a silver tea at Mrs. Dodd's, 1241 Monterey Avenue, Thursday afternoon, May 5. Benefit of the Bishop Cridge Memorial.

Dr. Fred Eilers, Chiropractor, has reopened his office in the Central Building, and will X-ray all work before adjusting. Phone 320. Res. 6394L.

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Ss. Prince George leaves Vancouver every Thursday, 8:00 p.m., for Powell River, Ocean Falls, Prince Rupert and Stewart.

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Mrs. Smith: "Oh, I did, George. I've been making some peawipers for the church bazaar."

—Passing Show (London, Eng.)

IN SILENT DRAMA

Little Laurel was rather given to chatter, especially when company was present.

Her mother had tried to break the little girl of this annoying habit, but, unfortunately, she had not succeeded.

On one occasion Laurel was a little worse than ever she had been before, and her mother felt that she must rebuke her.

"Don't you know who are seen and not heard?" she asked, meaning, of course, good little girls.

"Yes," answered Laurel triumphantly—"people on the pictures."

Body Found in Quebec Stolen From Cemetery

MONTREAL, May 3.—The body of a woman dug up by workmen in a sand pit at St. Gregoire, Que., March 28 last, clothed in two sacks, was identified as that of Mrs. Charles Duranteau, of St. John's, Que., who was buried in a cemetery during the Spring of 1926. The identification was made by a dentist, who examined the woman's teeth and satisfied authorities that dental work performed before the woman died had been performed by him.

Police believe that the body was removed from the cemetery by persons wanting it for purposes of study.

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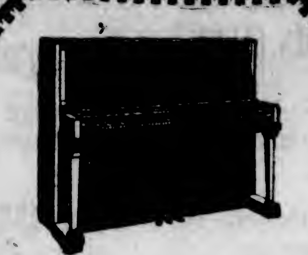
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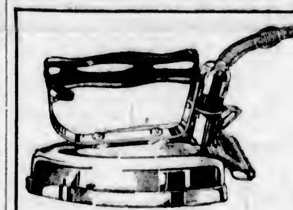
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OFFICERS ARE ALL AGAIN ELECTED

Uneventful Year Is Recorded at Aged Women's Home—79 Inmates in Institution During Year

Seventy-nine persons were cared for at the Aged Women's Home last year. Six of these rejoined relatives, while nine passed away.

This information was presented by the secretary, Mrs. Whittier, at the annual meeting of the Home, held yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Clay, president, reported that the year had gone by without any unusual incidents. She paid a tribute to the work of the matron, Miss Waldron, and her assistant, Miss Robb.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The officers were re-elected by acclamation as follows: Mrs. Harriet Carne, honorary president; Mrs. Clay, president; Mrs. Gould, first vice-president; Mrs. Vincent, second vice-president, and Mrs. A. D. Whittier, secretary-treasurer.

Following the annual meeting came the monthly meeting. Reports from the visiting committee showed that one death, that of Mrs. Dunlop, a city resident, had taken place during April. At present there are two vacant rooms, and the Spring renovation of the building is well advanced.

The visiting committee for May includes Mrs. Gould, convener; Miss O'Brien, and Mrs. Harold Grant. Donations received for April were: Mrs. Shotbolt, Mrs. Edith Higgins, the Corner Flower Shop, Pollock Brothers, Mrs. Grant, Mrs. Gould, also magazines and complimentary tickets to the Spring Flower Show, Mr. Leighton.

JAPANESE ATTACKS FELLOW FARM HAND

Charles Mazuma Ordered to Mental Hospital After Attacking Kakuma With a Knife

Charles Mazuma, Japanese farm hand, was taken to the New Westminster Mental Hospital yesterday afternoon, following an attack upon his companion in the fields at Cordova Bay Farm, Monday night.

Mazuma ordered his fellow worker, Kakuma to cut rhubarb with a knife and not pull it up as he was doing. When Kakuma did not respond to this order, Mazuma took the knife he was working with and slashed his companion. Three other men working nearby, seeing Mazuma spring upon Kakuma, endeavored to separate them. Kakuma succeeded in grasping the knife in his bare hand, but the hand was severely lacerated. He clung to the knife blade until his companions pulled Mazuma from him.

When the Saanich police arrived, they found Mazuma locked in a room, quite quiet. He was taken to the city police station, where he was given medical examination and found mentally deficient. He was taken to the mental hospital on yesterday afternoon's boat.

RETURNING THE COMPLIMENT

The village tailor only received occasional orders from the vicar, and one day he asked the reason of this.

"Well," explained the vicar, "when I went a really good suit, one that will fit me nicely, I go to London. You see, the tailors there are very clever."

Calling again a few weeks later, the reverend gentleman remarked that he had not seen the tailor at church lately.

"No," replied the tailor; "when I want to hear a really good sermon I go to London. You see, the clergymen there are very clever."

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THE plants of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company of Canada, Limited (pictured above), stand as a monument to Canadian perseverance, ingenuity and engineering methods. It is here that 92 per cent of the total lead production and 83 per cent of the total zinc production of the Dominion is turned out. These plants were constructed after years of studying the complex lead-zinc ores of the famous Sullivan mine of Kimberley, B.C., and other properties in the vicinity.

The Sullivan concentrator at Kemberley, B.C., is pictured below where the first step in the recovery of the metals takes place. Each day 4,000 tons of ore are turned into concentrates by this plant. The concentrates (a fine sand carrying high percentages of lead and zinc) are shipped to the smelter and refinery at Trail, B.C., about 200 miles away.

A bird's-eye view of the smelter and refinery nestling in the Nelson range in the Kootenay district, B.C., is shown above. The river in the foreground is the Columbia, and the town at the foot of the ridge is Trail, B.C. The property on which this plant is situated comprises the municipality of Tadanac, Canada spelt backwards with the prefix T for trail. The two smokestacks stand 410 feet in height and are the highest concrete stacks in the world.

GLADIOLUS GROWING IS SUBJECT OF TALK

Mr. R. M. Palmer, of Cobble Hill, Outlines Essentials to Be Remembered in Cultivation

The popularity of the gladiolus as a Summer flower has been gaining great headway in Victoria and Vancouver Island during the last few years. In cut flowers at the Summer and Fall shows, and in bulbs at the Winter exhibitions, the public has been reminded of the progress of the plant as a floral leader. Few horticulturists have given more attention to the subject than Mr. R. M. Palmer, of Cobble Hill, and the members of the Victoria and District Gardeners' Association last evening had the opportunity of hearing from him some useful hints on the cultivation of this exquisite flower.

Proper preparation of the soil was the most important thing in growing gladioli. Soil should be in good tilth and in good heart and supplied with plenty of plant food, Mr. Palmer argued.

Selection of good varieties was next in importance, the speaker stated. The old varieties used some years ago were now out of date. The improvement in the flower had been very pronounced in recent years, particularly in the color, texture and lasting qualities of cut flowers.

The planting period may commence in April and extended to the middle of June at intervals of ten days. This will permit cut flowers over a period of three months, extending to the middle or end of October from the first of July.

Ordinary mixed fertilizer was the best to use because it was safest and easy to use, providing the directions were strictly carried out. While dealing with the use of nitrate of soda as a concentrated form of fertilizer, he did not advocate its use generally without some experience having been gained.

A plentiful supply of water during the blossom period was advocated, while mulching, particularly during the hot weather, was of considerable advantage, Mr. Palmer said. Stable manure, old leaves or any decaying substance could be used for this purpose.

Mr. Palmer exhibited a comparatively new variety of tulips. They were Mons Mottet, a May flowering tulip. One of the specimens that he exhibited had eight blooms on one stalk.

Winners of the floral exhibit at last night's meeting were: First, Mrs. Darcus; second, Mrs. Holmes, and third, Mr. F. E. Boulter.

Canadian Pacific Railway Excursion to Bellingham Tulip Festival, May 6. Princess Louise leaves Victoria at 9:00 a.m. Adults, $2.05; children, $1. Leave Bellingham 5:30 p.m. Tickets now on sale.

Special Appeal Made for May 24 Celebration Help

Co-operation of Citizens Is Needed Owing to Lack of Funds—Treasure Hunt, Most Perfect All-Round Athletes, Firemen's Display and Parade Features

While the executive of the May 24 Celebration Committee is meeting with considerable success in their arrangements for entertainment, an appeal is being made for support from the citizens and merchants of the city.

"With our plans somewhat confined, owing to the limited fund, which amounts to $1,000, we are appealing to the citizens and merchants generally for their patriotic support of the May 24 celebrations, particularly for the parade," Mr. W. H. Davies, secretary, stated last night on behalf of the executive committee.

"Every member of the committee is a businessman who can ill afford the time he is putting on this programme. We are confident that if the merchants and various fraternal and service organizations will get behind the celebration and put in a float or band we can make the event a successful one.

REPORTS MADE

At the executive meeting yesterday reports were made as to progress with the programme. Brigadier-General Ross, officer commanding Military District No. 11, and Commander Nelles, senior naval officer of the Esquimalt Naval Base, were interviewed. They have promised to put units in the parade to take place at 10:30 o'clock on the morning of May 24. The City Temple and Firemen's Bands have also promised to enter the parade, while three other organizations are considering the matter.

Owing to the fact that there is no prize money available the committee is appealing to the patriotism of the merchants and citizens of this city to put in floats. A children's section is also being arranged.

Excursions from Seattle, Vancouver, Bellingham, Port Angeles and up-Island are to be arranged so that the visitors to the city from these sources are expected to number well over 5,000.

TREASURE HUNT

One of the new features is a treasure hunt. This scheme is being worked out by Mr. H. S. Stevenson, and is expected to create considerable interest in the street and parade events of May 23 and 24.

There will be no regatta at the Gorge but a big sports event, probably at the Willows grounds, will be held. Mr. W. H. Davies has been placed in charge of these arrangements and a good card is promised. It is planned to start the sports at 2:30 o'clock and end them not later than 5:30. The sports will include horse racing, bicycle races, marathons, sprinting, jumping events, tug-of-war and many other events. The military and naval units will also participate in this portion of the programme.

SPECTACULAR DISPLAY

On the evening of May 23 a roller hockey game will be held on Blanshard Street to be followed by a band concert if the committee can afford it. Later, a spectacular fire brigade display will be given. Fire Chief Stewart has intimated that his department is willing to put on a six-truck display, including drills and lighting effects.

Special entertainment has been arranged for the night of May 24 at the Crystal Garden. A play in the concert auditorium, aquatic events in the swimming tank and dancing will be the main features.

In addition to this the committee will hold a contest to select the most perfect all-round athlete in the city. This is a change from the committee's original plan to hold a male beauty contest. The contest will be held along the lines of a physical culture test. The theatres will be asked to co-operate in the matter.

Mr. J. T. Braden has been appointed chairman of the parade committee. He will solicit the support of the merchants with regard to entering floats in the parade. Any citizens who wish to enter a decorated car, bicycle or float are asked to communicate and register with Mr. W. H. Davies, secretary, at the Empire Realty office, Fort Street.

LIQUOR BOAT SEIZED

PORT COLBORNE, Ont., May 3.—Mounted Police have under seizure today the eighty-foot cabin cruiser Doctor, charged with violation of the Customs Act. The vessel, with its cargo of liquor, will be turned over to the local collector of customs.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Leaves for Invermere
His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie have left for Invermere where they will spend several weeks.

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Marriage Takes Place
Word has been received of the marriage, which took place on April 21, of Miss Beatrix Betts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Betts, of Glen Lake, to Mr. Lloyd Clanton, of Norwalk, California. The bride was attired in a lavender georgette, lace-trimmed dress and picture hat to match. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. J. E. Frick, as matron of honor. The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. Floyd Clanton. The couple motored to San Diego. After a two weeks' honeymoon they will reside in California. The bride has many friends here and was employed with the B.C. Telephone Company for a number of years.

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Attending Meeting
Mrs. S. J. Stapleton, grand chaplain, and Miss Boo Wilson, grand guide, accompanied by Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, chief factor of Post No. 3, and Miss Ilace Terry, left last night to attend the annual Grand Post meeting of Native Daughters of British Columbia, to be held in New Westminster today and tomorrow.

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Children's Dance
A children's fancy dress dance will be held on Friday from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Conservative Club rooms, Campbell Building. Fancy dress is not compulsory, but prizes will be given for the best dresses. Refreshments will be served.

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Bridge Hostess
Mrs. Norman Rant entertained with two tables of bridge and additional guests for tea yesterday afternoon at The Angela, in honor of Miss Sally Hart Hogg, of Portland, who is visiting her.

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To Tour Island
Mr. Edward Marriott, of Big Creek, Cal., has ben in the city visitnig his cousin, Mrs. Chas. Maunsell, before making a tour of the Island with Mr. John Maunsell, of the Bank of Montreal staff.

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Tennis Dance
The final dance of the season is being held by the Cedar Hill Tennis Club tonight in the Lake Hill Community Hall. A buffet supper will be served in the dining hall.

Return From Cowichan
Mr. and Mrs. J. McGavin, of Shanghai, accompanied by Mr. Ward, of London, have returned from a motor trip to Cowichan, and are at the James Bay Hotel.

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Announces Engagement
Mr. James Bryant, of 3029 Tillicum Road, announces the engagement of his eldest daughter, Elsie, to Mr. Charles M. O'Neil, of Inez Drive. The wedding will take place early in June.

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Engagement Announced
The engagement is announced of Caroline Falkner, second daughter of Mr. C. G. Falkner, to Mr. R. Denholm, of Comox, B.C.

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At Glenshiel Hotel
Mrs. F. S. Williams and her daughters are here from Langley Prairie, and are registered at the Glenshiel Hotel.

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Returns to City
Rev. J. E. Rockliff, of Liverpool, who has been spending a few days in Seattle, has returned to the Glenshiel Hotel.

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Portland Visitors
Mrs. W. Wickem and Miss Emerson, of Portland, are at the Glenshiel Hotel.

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Here From Calgary
Mrs. Milne and her daughter have arrived from Calgary to spend two months at the James Bay Hotel.

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Returns From Vancouver
Mrs. A. M. Jennings, who has been visiting in Vancouver, has returned to the city.

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Leaving for Vancouver
Mrs. H. C. Carey will leave tomorrow for Vancouver, where she will spend the next ten days.

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Leaves for Illinois
Mrs. Clark Gamble left on Monday, to join her husband in Cairo, Illinois.

A Recent Arrival in City From England

MRS. MAURICE HUNTINGTON-WHITLEY

Daughter of Rt. Hon. Stanley Baldwin, is now in Victoria. She says her father's stay in Canada this July will have to be brief as he has to address two big meetings in Liverpool late in August. Mrs. Huntington-Whitley was met in Vancouver by her husband who is here on leave from his ship stationed in Chinese waters.

Duncan

The Sunset Chapter of the Eastern Star Lodge entertained to an enjoyable invitation subscription card party and dance in the Rex Hall here last evening. Progressive bridge and progressive five hundred were played. For the bridge, Miss M. Stewart won ladies' first prize and Mr. C. A. Stewart for the gentlemen, with Mrs. Weston and Dr. Murray taking the consolation prizes. For the five hundred Miss Cowie won the ladies' first and Mr. A. H. Peterson took the honors for the gentlemen, while the consolation prizes went to Miss L. E. Baron and Mr. E. W. Lee. A delicious supper was served about 11 o'clock, and dancing followed, Mr. Cawdell's orchestra supplying the music. During the evening vocal solos were contributed and much enjoyed, the artists being Mrs. Sadie Coyne, Miss Mae Burtch, Mr. G. Colbourn and Mr. J. Dick, with Miss Dorothy Garner acting as accompanist.

Mrs. C. W. O'Neill, Mrs. Kyle, Mr. L. C. Brockway, assisted by Mr. J. Findlay, acted on the entertainment committee, while Mrs. Currie, assisted by Mrs. Dib, Mrs. J. Findlay and Mrs. Plaskett formed the refreshment committee.

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

Tan, with touches of bright red, is chosen for the sports frock above. Rabbit fur fabric, the unusual new knitted material, which is softer than the lightest jersey, is the medium. Strange to say, the material really is made from rabbit fur, though there is nothing about it to suggest this, save extreme silkiness and an occasional longish hair protruding from the surface.

A red belt, made from large wooden links, and a flowing red tie give the color touches.

South Pender and Saturna

Mrs. Georgeson received a few friends at tea on Thursday. The guests included Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Parkyn and Mrs. Beatrice Irving.

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Miss Lyon, with her niece, Miss Marjorie Crane, returned from Victoria on Thursday.

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Miss Ester Ballou, a student of Victoria College, has arrived on the island and with her mother, Mrs. Katherine Ballou, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Lundie. Miss Ballou will spend two months' vacation with her mother.

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Mrs. Higgs returned on Saturday evening from Saturna, where she was a guest of Captain and Mrs. Stretton.

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Mrs. Beatrice Irving, with her daughter, Hope, left on the Ss. Charmer today for Victoria, where they will be guests of Mrs. Pender for a few days.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Payne, accompanied by Mrs. Macfadyen, left for Victoria on Mr. Payne's boat, the Saturna. Mrs. Macfadyen will visit her mother and sister, who have recently returned from California.

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On Saturday Mrs. Crane and Miss Lyon were the guests of Mrs. Beatrice Irving at tea.

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Mrs. Herbert Spalding, accompanied by Mrs. Bellhouse, returned from Galiano Island today. Mrs. Bellhouse will be a guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Spalding till the end of the week.

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On Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Spalding received a few guests at dinner. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walker, Mr. G. F. Richardson and Mr. N. A. Richardson.

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Mr. Herbert Spalding has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. Beatrice Irving, for the past week.

Girl Guide Notes

It was announced at a meeting of the local Association of Girl Guides, held on Monday evening at the Hamley Building, that the annual Girl Guide garden party, through the permission of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, will be held at Government House on June 11.

Of special interest in the Jubilee Camp will be a display of Girl Guide handiwork. There will be a camp for guides, leaders and seconds at Cadboro Bay from Friday, May 20 to 24 inclusive, and a district camp will be held at Sooke in July.

The members stood in silent tribute to the memory of the late Mrs. J. S. T. Alexander, who had been an active member of the association, in which she had held the position of honorary secretary.

Warrants were applied for and approved for Miss Betty Phillips, acting captain Esquimalt Company, and Miss Thompson, acting tawny owl, Gonzales Brownies.

Mrs. Gibson addressed the meeting on the subject of the proposed chair of home economics. A plea for support of the Empire Shopping Week ideals was made by Miss Lottie Bowron.

A resolution was passed by the members protesting against the holding of beauty contests, especially bathing beauty contests, and this resolution Miss Bowron was requested to present for endorsement to the Local Council of Women, to which she is a delegate.

Miss Wigley announced that guides' athletic examinations will be held on Saturday, May 21.

The next meeting will be held on Monday, June 6.

To Hold Bazaar At School Today

In order to raise funds for the purchase of a stereopticon lantern for use in the classrooms of the school, the pupils and teachers of North Ward School will hold a bazaar and sale of work in the Assembly Hall of the school this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Games of many kinds will be available; afternoon tea will be served, and an informal programme will be presented. Admission is free.

Women's Clubs And Societies

Queen Alexandra Review
The regular meeting of Queen Alexander Review No. 11, W.B.A., was held in the S.O.E. Hall on Monday evening. Commander Mrs. Schmelz presided and Mrs. Minnie Ritchie, district deputy for Vancouver Island, introduced Mrs. Lora Baker, deputy supreme commander at large. Mrs. Celina Laing, district deputy for the Interior of British Columbia, and Mrs. Harrison, commander of Victoria Review, No. 1, were also present. Reports of two card parties held since the last meeting were given. There will be a social evening at 1230 Government Street next Monday evening, the proceeds of which will be for the rally fund. About thirty of the members purpose traveling to Vancouver on May 10 to attend the "Great Review" to be held in the Hotel Vancouver on May 17. On Thursday, May 19, Mrs. Minnie Aydelotte, supreme lieutenant commander, is expected in Victoria and special meetings are being arranged for that date by a joint committee composed of members of Victoria Review No. 1 and Queen Alexandra Review No. 11. There will be a class presentation of new members and other items of interest. Mrs. Baker installed Mrs. Creighton in her office as finance keeper. As so many members and officers will be in Vancouver on next meeting night the meeting for May 16 was cancelled.

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A. & N. Veterans W.A.
The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans in Canada held a meeting in their clubrooms yesterday afternoon, when seven new members were enrolled and three others proposed. The president, Mrs. B. Ruddock, reported on visits to the hospitals and commented on the large number of ex-service men who are still under medical treatment. During the meeting Mr. Bengough presented the ladies with a generous cheque from the executive committee of the Veterans. It was decided to hold a silver tea and a rummage sale in the near future. The next general meeting will take place on Tuesday, June 7, at 2:30 p.m. At the previous meeting the election of officers took place as follows: Mrs. B. G. Ruddock was re-elected president for the fourth year; Mrs. R. B. Law re-elected treasurer for the fifth year; Mrs. Weekes, first vice-president; Mrs. Alcock, second vice-president, and Mrs. Harris secretary.

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May Day Tea
The Ladies' Aid Society of the Oak Bay United Church is holding a May Day tea and bazaar at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the schoolroom. There will be stalls of home cooking, candy, plain sewing and fancy articles for sale. A programme will be given during the afternoon.

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Home Cooking Sale
Through the courtesy of Messrs. David Spencer, Limited, a sale of home cooking will be held on Saturday morning in the basement of the store, for the benefit of St. Vincent de Paul's Society. The Ladies' Aid will be in charge.

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Institute Tea
An invitation is extended by the Royal Oak Women's Institute to members of the Victoria Women's Institute to attend a tulip tea today at the home of Mrs. Pinhorne, East Saanich Road.

Weddings

CAMPBELL-BARKER
At Breadalbane, 2347 Windsor Road, the officiating minister's residence, Rev. Dr. Campbell united in marriage Mr. David Campbell and Mrs. Anna Viola Barker, both of Shanghai, China. The bride wore a traveling suit with hat to match. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. G. Marshall, of Brighton Avenue, Oak Bay.

Pupils' Recital Saturday

Senior violin and piano pupils of Miss Gladys Shrapnel will give a recital on Saturday at 8:15 o'clock at the Dominion Academy of Music. Piano solos, mainly from the works of Chopin, will be given by Naomi Taylor, Judith Pope, Christopher Tunnard, David Le Page, Winnifred Wilcox, Helen Crawford; violin solos by Doris Le Page, Teddy Slingsby, Doris Pallows and Muriel Franklin.

Presentation to Mrs. H. B. Hunter Made at London

To say a regretful farewell to Mrs. H. B. Hunter, who leaves shortly for her new home in Victoria, B.C., the members of the London Hunt Women's Golf Club arranged a smartly appointed luncheon at the club yesterday, says The Free Press of that city.

A happy feature of the after-luncheon hour was the presentation to Mrs. Hunter of a handsome Sheffield silver tray, with the appreciation and good wishes of the golfers and other friends. Mrs. Ray Lawson, first vice-president, who was in the chair, in the absence of the president, Mrs. Marshall Graydon, called upon Mrs. E. B. Smith, past president, for a brief address, and the latter expressed the regrets of the members in a few graceful words, accompanying the presentation, which was made by Mrs. Claude Brown, golf captain. Mrs. Hunter acknowledged the gift briefly and wittily.

The long luncheon table, at which covers were laid for nearly 100, was lovely with its great silver trophy cups brimming with crimson tulips and many tall red tapers, making a pretty glow of light. Fires in the open grates and a profusion of flowers through the rooms were a pleasant contrast to the gloomy weather. Some lovely flowers were an additional gift to Mrs. Hunter.

National Parks Official To Lecture Here Friday

Under auspices of the Tourist Trade Group of the Chamber of Commerce, Captain J. A. Forster, representing the National Parks Branch of the Dominion Government, will give an illustrated address in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium on Friday night at 8 o'clock. Among the subjects of the motion picture will be "Wild Life Trails," showing deer, moose, fox, and birds in their native habitat; "The Kicking Horse Trail," picturing the new road to be opened this Summer, joining up Lake Louise with Golden. An invitation is extended to the general public to attend. There will be no admission fee.

John Calvin Will Be Lecture Theme

Dean Quainton will give the fourth of a series of lectures on "Great Men of the Reformation" this evening at eight o'clock. The special subject is the founder of Presbyterianism, John Calvin. The lecture will begin punctually. Admission is free, with a collection on behalf of the funds of the Men's and Women's Parish Guilds.

SOOKE, May 3.—The Sooke and North Sooke Women's Institute will hold its regular meeting in Sooke Hall on Tuesday at 2:30 p.m. Arrangements will be made for the holding of a flower show in June.

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MUSSOLINI SHOWN AS MAN OF DESTINY

Miss Lila Van Kirk Addresses Women's Canadian Club on "Fascism" and Fascist's Leader

Mussolini, Italy's Fascist leader, has in Miss Lila Van Kirk, of New York, an enthusiastic champion. In the address which she gave before the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel yesterday afternoon she presented him as "The Man of Destiny" sent to liberate and consolidate Italy and to complete the work of Garibaldi, Cavour and Mazzini in freeing the nation from foreign and domestic despotism. Meeting the argument of certain critics that the present form of government was revolutionary, she rehearsed sufficient of the history of Italy under Austrian domination to show that Fascism was, on the other hand, the first coherent expression of an Italian nationalism in which property rights and class co-operation were represented, and under which at long last were becoming apparent reforms in education, agriculture, industries, and the building of railways.

"Mussolini is trying to bring about in Italy the creation and unification of a national spirit among a people which has not known unity for centuries," she declared at one point. Speaking from conviction formed through many years' residence in Italy and from a close study of Italy's present as well as past history, Miss Van Kirk readily adopted and justified the Italian Premier's title as "Man of Destiny." This she translated in terms of a superb form of patriotism which had infected the length and breadth of Italy, breaking down old political prejudices, cementing national feeling, and strengthening the sentiment of the masses toward a constructive form of nationalism under which reforms could at last be introduced and the nation brought into step with the march of progress in the world.

BELIEVES IN HIMSELF

"Mussolini does not think it will make any difference whether he lives or dies, so long as the system of government which he has instituted continues. He believes he is 'a man of destiny' and that he will not die until his mission for Italy is fulfilled," she stated elsewhere in attempting to show how completely Mussolini's personal ambitions were identified with his ambitions for Italy.

CHECKERED HISTORY

In order to picture something of the chaos and disorder, war, brutality and tyranny from which Italy had been delivered Miss Van Kirk went back several centuries, indeed even stating at the very beginning of her address that "Italy has never been a united country since the fall of Rome." In greater particular, however, she dealt with the incidents immediately prefacing and contained in "The Risorgimento," picturing the greed of Austria and the sympathy which Italy's condition aroused in England as the country became more and more oppressed by the tyrant. France had sent 200,000 men to help Italy drive Austria from that country, and in recompense Italy had promised the French the province of Savoy and Nice, the French undertaking to give back to Italy Lombardy and Venezzia. But for France's failure to keep her compact, Italy, said the speaker, was quite justified in wanting the return of Nice, now being demanded by the Italy fired with the new national consciousness.

ATTITUDE JUSTIFIED

Italy's attitude in the matter of Dalmatia was also justified. Italy had held the Dalmatian coast since before Christ, this furnishing her only harborage in the Adriatic in the absence of any harborage on the eastern Italian coast. The Jugo Slavs in the 17th Century, under persecution by the Turks, had appealed to the Italian towns on the Dalmatian coast for protection. This the Italian towns had generously given, never dreaming that these guests would turn upon their protectors or that a President Wilson would argue, under the Treaty of Versailles, that the nations could not give Italy the coast of Dalmatia.

Trentino had also belonged to Italy, but in the Middle Ages this had fallen into the hands of Austria. Battisti for many years strove to rouse the Italians in Trentino to a consciousness of their oppression, but lost his life in the effort.

Italy's neutrality during the early part of the war was next dealt with, and it was shown that the nation, only just emerged from the war in Tripoli and her part in the Balkan wars, was so exhausted that had she openly announced herself as inimical to Austria in 1914, Austria would have swept down upon her "and wiped her off the face of the earth."

MUSSOLINI'S ENTRY

Mussolini was now introduced, first as an ordinary soldier in the trenches, mistrusted because of his father's radicalism and his own reputation as a revolutionary.

"But he was too much of a patriot to be a Socialist," declared Miss Van Kirk, who quoted some of his dicta in The Avvanti, his own paper, to show that he could not reconcile Socialism and patriotism, calling the Socialists anti-patriotic. After the terrible disaster in which 250,000 Italian soldiers were wiped out in a single night as the result of the influence of the Socialists, and when 600,000 refugees poured down into Italy, he pronounced still more definitely against them.

The birth of Fascism, the direct outcome of the taking over of the factories by the Liberals under the influence of Bolshevism, was described. Organized by Mussolini in conjunction with seventy kindred spirits, the "black shirt" movement spread and spread. The word Fascism was defined, springing from the old Roman "fasces," the bundle of rods round an axe borne before the Roman magistrates as an emblem of authority. Its modern interpretation was "in unity there is strength."

"Fascism represents nationalism; it represents property rights and class co-operation as opposed to the class destruction which is the creed of the Bolsheviks," declared Miss Van Kirk. Fascism was definitely opposed to Bolshevism; moreover Mussolini himself had declared that he did not think a nation could exist without religion.

Among the greatly beneficial measures which Mussolini had instituted on behalf of industry was the establishment of a joint committee of labor and capital representatives, before which all labor matters must be arbitrated, the committee's decision being final and irrevocable. Mussolini in his zeal to create an intense patriotism was organizing the boys of Italy and training them in patriotism. Putting the good of the state before the liberty of the individual, he had also instigated laws making it prohibitive for boys under a certain age to drink wine. With the same object in view he now contemplated censorship of the theatres.

QUOTES HEADLINES

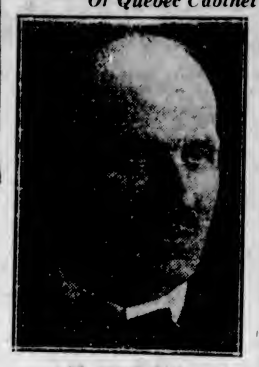
Recently she had seen a headline in a paper that "That England does not need a Mussolini."

"England," she amplified, "is not in the same position as Italy. For although England may have strikes, she has not had civil war as Italy had. And England has not been under the torture of a foreign power as Italy has been for three or four hundred years." Mussolini did not confuse independence or freedom with licence. "His idea is not to do away with liberty, but to do away with licence," for he argues that during Italy's state of transformation the people will not settle down if they are open to the influence of agitators." Therefore the agitators are suppressed.

In conclusion, Miss Van Kirk showed Italy's pressing need for room for expansion now that the United States had closed her doors to Italian immigrants. Albania and the Trentino were the natural direction to which Italy turned her eyes in the emergency. Italy had sent 5,500,000 men into the late war and had lost more than two millions by death or crippling, yet she was one of the few nations had had got nothing out of the war.

Mrs. Edward McQuade was the soloist at yesterday's meeting, Miss Rose playing her accompaniments in the two solos which she gave. Miss Kathleen Agnew presided at the meeting.

Sworn In as Member Of Quebec Cabinet



MR. ALFRED LEDUC

Of Montreal, former member in the Federal House, has been sworn in as minister without portfolio in the Quebec cabinet

Special Bible Studies Commenced Yesterday

Rev. W. Ellis, M.A., B.D., principal of the Vancouver Bible School, delivered the first of a series of eight Bible studies at the Reformed Episcopal Church yesterday afternoon, the subject being "God's Eternal Preparations." The service was led by Rev. T. W. Gladstone.

As a background Rev. Mr. Ellis showed the significance of man as unique in God's creation, yet living in a world of turmoil and evil. "What interest has God in man, in view of these facts?" he said. "To understand that question man must understand God Himself. God is a Being of supreme excellence, altogether holy, wise and desirable, but God has exercised himself in the creation of a mighty universe and this universe displays not only His power but His marvellous intelligence. Further, God is living and has not left the universe itself. He foresa withe need in which man would find himself, and made preparation to meet that need, providing for man's preservation and redemption. Nor is this all, for the best is yet to come in the Kingdom beyond this life."

The speaker then proceeded to show the guarantee which had been given in the person of Jesus Christ, who, as prophet, perfectly revealed the Father and spiritual truth. As priest, he offered the sacrifice for sinners and now intercedes for them. As King, he will come again for the consummation of His work.

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NEWS OF THE SPORTING WORLD

Pirate Sluggers Nose Out Cards to Win 11-10

Smoky City Aggregation Jump to First Berth in National League Race — Brooklyn Defeats Giants 7-6 After Overcoming Five-Run Lead—Chicago and Boston Win—Home Runs Plentiful

NATIONAL LEAGUE

NEW YORK, May 3. — Overcoming a seven run lead, Pittsburgh slugged out an 11-10 victory over St. Louis in the smoky city today. Earl Smith, Pirate catcher, had two home runs and his single in the ninth with three on base brought in the winning tally.

Overcoming a five run lead the Brooklyn Robins again defeated the Giants today, 7-6, for their fifth straight victory, three of them from New York. Deberry, Hornsby and Bentley banged homers.

Chicago bunched hits in the fourth, sixth and ninth innings today to defeat the visiting Cincinnati team 4-3. Grimm then drove in the run in the sixth which put Chicago ahead.

The Braves went on a batting spree today at the expense of three Philadelphia pitchers, and won the opening game of the Boston series, 7-4. The Boston team scored their runs on bunched hits in the first, seventh and eighth off Pruett, Decautur and Willoughby

The scores:

At New York—	R.	H.	E.
Brooklyn	7	13	0
New York	6	12	1

McWeeny, J. Barnes and Deberry; Barnes, Cheeves and Hamby.

At Boston—	R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	4	10	2
Boston	7	10	2

Willoughby, Pruett, Decatur and Wilson; R. Smith, Mogridge and Taylor.

At Pittsburgh—	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	10	16	0
Pittsburgh	11	17	2

Rhem, Herman, Bell, Keen and O'Farrell; Meadows, Songer, Morrison and Smith.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Cincinnati	3	9	0
Chicago	4	10	3

Luque and Hargreave; Blake and Hartnett.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

NEW YORK, May 3.—The Yankees made it two straight from Washington taking today's game at the capital, 6-4. With the score four all in the eighth Coombs scored when Stewart knocked down Gehrid's rap but failed to get any of the three on base. Koenig then was forced in with another run.

At St. Louis the Indians, smarting from a ninth inning rally defeat by the Browns yesterday, came back to even up the four game series with a 5-3 victory. Buckeye, of the Clevelands, went the full route, striking out five Browns.

The winning streak of the Chicago White Sox, which had extended through seven successive games, ended at Detroit when the Tigers took the second game of the series, 5 to 1. Rip Collins outpitched "Red" Faber, whose wildness was costly.

The Athletics made it two straight over the Boston Red Sox at Philadelphia, winning by a score of 7 to 2. Cobb sent two runs over the plate in the first inning on a double.

The scores:

At Washington—	R.	H.	E.
New York	6	13	1
Washington	4	7	0

Pipgras, Moore and Collins; Marberry, Covaleskie, Crowder and Ruel.

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	2	7	2
Philadelphia	7	1	3

Harris, MacFayden and Hoffman; Ehmke and Cochrane.

At Detroit—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	1	6	1
Detroit	5	7	0

Faber, Jacobs and McCurdy; Collins and Woodall.

At St. Louis—	R.	H.	E.
Cleveland	5	9	2
St. Louis	3	7	1

Buckeye and Sewell; Ballou, Vangilder and Schang.

COAST LEAGUE

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—A slashing single by Parker, pinch-hitting for Rose in the ninth inning today, scored two runs and gave the Missions a 3-2 win over Seattle in the opening game of the series. Seattle had led from the third frame, scoring runs in that and the preceding inning. Griffin homed in the second to give the San Francisco club its other run.

At San Francisco—	R.	H.	E.
Seattle	2	5	1
Missions	3	5	1

Edwards and Schmidt; Pillette and Whitney.

LOS ANGELES, May 3.—Elmer Ponder held the Hollywood Stars to eight scattered hits and pitch Portland to a five to one victory in the series opener here today. Strands' home-run in the second inning had put them in ront when the Beachers sewed up the contest in the eighth by bunching three hits and two walks off Shellenbach.

At Los Angeles—	R.	H.	E.
Portland	5	12	0
Hollywood	1	8	2

Ponder and Yelle; Shellenbach, Hollerson and Murphy.

SACRAMENTO, May 3.—Sacramento took the series opener from the Seals here today without much difficulty, five to one. A double to left by Mails and two infield outs gave the Seals their only tally in the sixth. A big seventh frame put the contest in the sack for the locals.

	R.	H.	E.
San Francisco	1	5	1
Sacramento	5	8	1

Mails, Turpin and Stokes, Vargas; Kallio and Severeid

OAKLAND, May 3.—Los Angeles pulled the league leading Oaks down a notch today by defeating them 4 to 1. The Oaks made eight hits off Wright, but the Angels bunched six swats and made them count.

	R.	H.	E.
Los Angeles	4	6	0
Oakland	1	8	0

Wright and Sandberg; Dickerman, Delaney and Read, Baker.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Newark 2, Syracuse 3.
(Others postponed, rain.)

CLUB STANDINGS

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	10	6	.625
St. Louis	10	6	.625
New York	11	7	.611
Philadelphia	8	7	.533
Boston	9	9	.500
Chicago	8	8	.500
Brooklyn	7	12	.368
Cincinnati	5	13	.278

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	12	5	.706
Philadelphia	11	6	.647
Chicago	11	8	.579
Detroit	8	7	.533
Washington	8	9	.471
St. Louis	7	8	.467
Cleveland	6	11	.421
Boston	3	14	.176

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Oakland	20	15	.571
Seattle	19	15	.559
Sacramento	19	15	.559
San Francisco	18	17	.514
Missions	17	17	.500
Portland	16	18	.471
Los Angeles	15	18	.455
Hollywood	12	20	.375

CANADIAN TEAM TO PLAY HERE TODAY

All-Star Soccer Aggregations Will Meet at Royal Athletic Park at 5:30 o'Clock

Previous to their departure for New Zealand, Canada's all-star soccer aggregation will play the pick of the Saturday league at the Royal Athletic Park today at 5:30 o'clock. Hewison will handle the whistle.

The Canadian team has not met with brilliant success on the Mainland and the Island, having suffered defeat twice in as many starts. Today they will be out to chalk up a win before departing for "down under."

The local team which will oppose the visitors is announced as follows: Bridges; Joe Watt and W. Campbell; Hosmer, Peden and Spiers; Connorton, John Watt, Glancy, Warren and Cameron.

No less than six of the players on the local team are members of the Esquimalt team, two from the Victoria Wests, two from Victoria City and one from the Saanich Thistles complete the local line-up.

The Canadian team will line-up as follows:

Tait (Ladysmith); Edmunds (Nanaimo) and Noseworthy (Montreal); Moon (Montreal), Paynter (Calgary) and Williams (Vancouver); Pogson (Hamilton), Thompson (Winnipeg), Gibson (Winnipeg), Davidson (Edmonton) and Milligan (Regina).

After the game the players of the teams will be entertained at a banquet at the Crystal Garden.

Holliday Is Matched With Hip Sing Lee

VANCOUVER, May 3.—Harvey Holliday, the young Vancouver flyweight, who scored a two-round knockout over Dacilo Garcia here last week, has been matched to meet Hip Sing Lee, the Chinese flyweight, in a six-round bout here on May 6. Holliday has now engaged in twenty-nine bouts without losing a start.

SOFTBALL MEETING

A meeting and softball practice for the members of the 16th Canadian Scottish Regiment will be held in the Armories, Bay Street, on Thursday at 8 o'clock. All interested are requested to be on hand as the team to represent the regiment in the Victoria and District Softball League will be selected after the practice.

Is Olympic Team Manager

W. A. HEWITT

Of Toronto, who has been appointed manager of the Canadian Winter sports team which will compete in the Olympic Games next Winter. The team will probably comprise figure and speed skating and skiing units, as well as the Varsity Grads hockey team.

LOCAL RIDERS ENTER PROVINCE CUP RACE

Strong Contingent of Speed Artists Leaving for Mainland Tonight

Victoria will be well represented this year in The Daily Province road race by Bill Peden, Stanley Jackson, Ernie Peden and other well known riders. If the cup does not come to Victoria racing fans here may rest assured that the boys will be in the prizes.

Reece Now Making Another Big Break With Pendulum Shot

LONDON, May 3.—Using his newly-invented "pendulum cannon" stroke, Tommy Reece ran his unfinished break of 2,265 points made yesterday to 3,569 in tonight's play in his match with Arthur Peall, and was still in play. He, therefore, has an excellent chance of exceeding his record break of 3,964 points made with his pendulum cannon on April 30.

Two Bright Stars of Canadian Basketball

Two sisters, Daisy, left, and Dorothy Johnson, right, members of the famous Edmonton Commercial school girls' basketball team, when they won the world's championship at Paris, France, in 1924, were with the Edmonton Grads when they won the Canadian championship again this year by defeating Lakeside Ladies of Toronto. Dorothy is the world's record holder for foul shooting, having scored fifty-two points in sixty tries. She is also secretary of the Canadian Amateur Basketball Association.

HARVEY COMBE BOWL AT STAKE

Victoria Golf Club Members Play Qualifying Round for Club Championship at Oak Bay

The qualifying round for the championship of the Victoria Golf Club and possession of the Harvey Combe Bowl for one yea rwill be played on Saturday, May 7, 1927. The following are the conditions:

1. The competition shall be open to ordinary and non-resident members.

2. The winner shall be entitled to hold the Harvey Combe Bowl as a trophy until the competition is next played, when he shall return it to the club and will be given a cup or other prize.

3. There shall be a qualifying round of eighteen holes medal play without handicap and the sixteen competitors returning the lowest scores shall be drawn for match play.

4. All matches shall be eighteen holes except the final, which shall be thirty-six holes.

5. If two or more competitors tie in the qualifying round for the last place or places, they shall, on the day on which the round is played, play one or more holes, starting from the first tee, and the competitor or competitors making the lower or lowest scores at the first or any additional hole which has to be played shall be entitled to the place or places to be filled.

6. The committee in charge of the competition may for good reasons, but not on account of the absense of a competitor, postpone a play-off when there is a tie.

7. The entrance fee shall be $1, and post entries may be made.

There will be other flights, all eighteen-hole matches, according to the number of entries, and a prize will be awarded to the winner of each flight; the runner-up for the championship will also receive a prize, and a prize will be awarded to the competitor making the best score in the qualifying round. At the conclusion of the qualifying round the drawing will be made and the result will be published the following day.

Competitors are requested to play their matches at their earliest convenience. Players in the qualifying round will choose their opponents and arrange their starting time.

Last year the club championship was won by J. R. Matson, and A. G. Beasley was the runner-up; the first flight was won by A. H. Ford and J. D. Virtue runner-up; the second flight was won by H. J. Davie and J. Hutchinson was runner-up.

Yesterday's Racing

At Salt Lake

First race, five furlongs—1, Olympian King, $4.20, $2.80, $2.60; 2, Skootin, $3.60, $3.00; 3, Dr. Scott, $3.20. Time, 1:02 4-5.

Second race, five furlongs—1, Grand Polly, $5.80, $4.20, $3.20; 2, Amackassin, $14.00, $8.00; 3, Boca, $3.40. Time, 1:03 2-5.

Third race, five furlongs—1, Foe, $31.00, $9.40, $4.60; 2, Silver Strand, $7.20, $4.20; 3, Galloping Jo, $4.00. Time, 1:02 4-5.

Fourth race, five furlongs—1, Dan Hogan, $6.00, $3.80, $3.20; 2, Judge Hickman, $6.00, $4.20; 3, Canny Lady, $4.00. Time, 1:02 1-5.

Fifth race, Newhouse course—1, Quintana Roo, $32.00, $11.60, $6.20; 2, Malacha, $10.20, $8.00; 3, Perriehon, $4.40. Time, 1:13 1-5.

Sixth race, Newhouse course—1, Don K., $4.40, $3.20; 2, Paiola, $3.00; 3, Coeur De Lion. Time, 1:12.

Seventh race, seven furlongs—Shasta Bally, $6.20, $3.20, $2.80; Mildred Ruth, $3.40, $3.00; 3, Tis Seth, $3.00. Time, 1:29.

Eighth race, mile and one-sixteenth—1, Jolly Cephas, $6.20, $4.60, $3.40; 2, Plowsteel, $14.00, $5.00; 3, Sweet and Low, $3.00. Time, 1:50 4-5.

At Lexington

First race, Futurity course—1, Dark Angel, $22.00, $10.00, $6.00; 2, One Way, $2.40, $2.20; 3, Sue Barker, $3.40. Time, 1:10 4-5.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Cuddle, $4.00, $2.40, $2.20; 2, Madam Emelle, $3.20, $2.40; 3, Lovelike, $8.00. Time, :54 4-5.

Third race, mile and one-sixteenth—1, Nabisco, $8.00, $4.00, $3.00; 2, Arragossa, $3.60, $2.80; 3, Gabaldon, $5.00. Time, 1:47 3-5.

Fourth race, four and one-half furlongs—1, Bun, $4.00, $2.40, $2.20; 2, Tiger Flowers, $2.80, $2.40; 3, Watson T., $3.40. Time, :54.

Fifth race, Futurity course—1, Girl Scout, $4.40, $3.20, $2.80; 2, Bottom Dollar; 3, Clonaslee. Time, 1:09 3-5.

Sixth race, mile and one-sixteenth—1, Battlefield, $6.00, $3.60, $2.80; 2, My Destiny, $6.00, $4.00; 3, Happy Bob, $3.00.

Seventh race, mile and one-eighth—1, Chittagong, $7.00, $3.60, $2.80; 2, Longchamps, $4.00, $3.00; 3, Pay Hand, $6.00. Time, 1:53 2-5.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

At Salt Lake

First race, five and one-half furlongs—Felicitous, 107; Lantern, 107; Rapid Traveller, 107; Singapore, 107; Pond Lily B., 105; Ester Clark, 105; Billy Skidd, 107; Diamond Dick, 107; Dangerous Dan, 97.

Second race, three furlongs—Ida Newell, 113; Robin, 113; *Try Me, 113; *Apple Sauce, 113; Heathervale, 113; Princess Loraine, 113; Kenneta, 113.

Third race, four and one-half furlangs—Foe, 113; Maunaolu, 99; Runman, 113; Black Pat, 108; Dode Adams, 106; Dormouse, 107; Mary Phema, 106; Amackassin, 113; Lawrence, 108; Coombs, 113; Black Friday, 108; Charlie Murray, 108; Duke of Brabant, 103.

Fourth race, five and one-half furlongs—Grand Polly, 115; Princess Hermes, 107; Stream, 108; Smart Horse, 110; Guinea Gold, 110; Harry T., 110; Olympian King, 110; Lampo, 115.

Fifth race, seven furlongs—Big Wig, 109; Lurman, 104; Malvern, 104; Wo. Montgomery, 104; Wracklane, 104; Starlane, 104; Four O' Five, 109.

Sixth race, seven furlongs—Tulsa, 109; Praiseworthy, 107; Broncho Girl, 94; Attorney, 107; Sunbow, 110; Fairy's Beau, 107; Rags Anderson, 107; Jay Roberts, 107; Antilles, 105.

Seventh race, mile and one-eighth—Seawrack, 112; Old Faithful, 107; Lihue, 89; Zing, 102; Wonderlight, 104; Sweet and Low, 105; Judge Hickman, 103.

(a) Drumheller entry.

At Lexington

First race, Futurity course—Midway Queen, 100; Stinlson, 105; Palm Court, 110; Fast Black, 105; Immortal, 106; Loyal H., 115; Spellbinder, 115; Louis Rubenstein, 118; Bell Song, 110; Glad Rags, 110; J. G. Denny, 115; Little Jennie, 110; Dr. Jiggs, 115; Dark Angel, 100; Firth of Forth, 110; Dusty Mary, 110.

Second race, four and one-half furlongs—Divorcee, 112; Chas. Robinson, 118; Wohelo, 107; Storm Maiden, 107; Eighteen Sixty, 115; Lady Rosabelle, 112; Dentelle, 112; Red Ruby, 112; Game Chance, 110; Snow Ball, 115.

Third race, Futurity course—Quince Bud, 115; Wonderful One, 110; Little Cook, 115; Lovechild, 115; P. T. Barnum, 115; Torcher, 118; Jack Nagel, 105; Lady Herbert, 100; Turquoise, 105; Dukedom, 115; Hamburg Lad, 115; Wellwater, 100; My Eva, 110; Leavain, 115; Capt. Saufley, 105.

Fourth race, mile and one-eighth—Longport, 110; Frankman, 105; Beargrass, 110; Brawner, 110; Arragossa, 105; Kiyi, 110; Massey, 100; Marjorie C., 108.

Fifth race, four and one-half furlongs—*Golden Racket, 118; *Cartage, 118; Aviator, 118; †Hi Schneider, 118; †Seventeen Sixty, 118; Typhoon, 118; Martin Flynn, 118; Thistle Sweep, 115; Pellegrino, 115; Leather Breeches, 115; Davinoi, 118.

*Lechwiter entry.
†Van Dusen entry.

Sixth race, mile—Red Banner, 115; Alloy, 115; Beggar Boy, 105; Needa, 100; Barbara, 110; *Aregal, 105; *Massilon, 105; Smiling Gus, 105; Fifteen Sixty, 105.

*Wild Rose entry.

Seventh race, mile and one-fixteenth—Orties, 105; Watch It, 105; Clover Club, 106; Efeidee, 105; Sunny Hours, 108; Tirza, 100; Royal Highness, 100; Bond Maid, 100.

Cloudy and fast.

Old Country Football

LONDON, May 2.—Results of football games played yesterday in the Old Country follow:

Second Division

Darlington 3, Swansea 1.
South Shields 1, Wolverhampton 2.

Third Division, Northern Section

Barrow 0, New Brighton 3.

Third Division, Southern Section

Merthyr Town 1, Crystal Palace 2.

Charity Exhibition

Blackburn Rovers 3, Football League 4.

Rugby Union

Crumlin 4, Pontypool 4.
Pill Harriers 3, Cross Keys 6.

Rugby League, Northern Union

Featherstone 24, Bramley 17.

LONDON, May 2.—Rugby games reported today:

Pontypool 18, Talywain 5.
Brynmawr 19, Pill Harriers 4.
Skewen 16, Bridgend 3.

LONDON, May 3.—Durham City defeated Southport at Southport today, 5 to 4, in a third division, Northern section soccer game.

BASEBALL OPENS HERE ON FRIDAY

SIDNEY AND TILLICUMS MEET IN COMMERCIAL LEAGUE AT ROYAL ATHLETIC PARK

Strong Batteries Ready to Open Hostilities—Fetherstone Will Call Balls and Strikes

The 1927 Commercial Baseball League season will be officially ushered in on Friday at 6:15 o'clock at the Royal Athletic Park, when Sidney, last year's champions, and the Tillicums, runners-up, clash in the opening fracas. Harold Fetherstone, well known local player and umpire, will call the balls and strikes.

The opening ceremony will be carried out by the officials of the league. President F. B. Richardson will twirl, while Secretary S. Thomas will be at the receiving end to catch the first ball of the present season.

The teams have been practicing for the last three weeks and rival managers report their squads to be in first-class condition and ready for the fray.

Manager Watkins, who is looking after the clubmen this season, will start "Lefty" Campbell on the mound with Hilton at the receiving end. Cann, another member of the Tillicums pitching staff, will be in the bench in case of trouble.

Williams, the husky twirler of the Millmen, is expected to appear here on Friday on the mound for the visitors. He has a good arm and will no doubt make the opposing batsmen whiff in the air in their efforts to connect with his offerings. Lipes, who rates as one of the best catchers in the Commercial Baseball League, will be, at the receiving end, and this will complete a first-class battery.

Nanaimo Wins From All-Canada

NANAIMO, May 3.—Still lacking the combination that they expect to develop with further practice, the Canadian All-Star soccer team which is to tour New Zealand was defeated by a squad representing upper Vancouver Island by 4-1 here this evening. The tourists, who were also defeated in Vancouver yesterday, will leave tomorrow morning for Victoria, where they will appear in the afternoon in their last game before embarking for the Southern Dominion.

WILL STAGE FIGHT CARD THIS MONTH

Tillicum Athletic Club Endeavoring to Line-Up First Class List of Bouts for May 21

fighting Chinaman from Alberni are promised another first class card under the auspices of the Tillicum Athletic Club some time this month, and in all probability on Saturday, May 21.

Danny Martin, of Vancouver, who has been doing his stuff in great style, is expected to appear here in the headliner and will be matched either with Tommy Fielding or Lewis. If possible this bout will be held over the ten-round route.

A good supporting card in which it is hoped to match Baptiste Thomas, the fighting Indian, with Duff, a newcomer to the city from Alberta, will furnish the semi-wind-up bout.

Bradshaw, of Duncan, and the fighting Chinaman from Alberni, are included in the outside boxers the promoters of the card intend to bring to the city.

Two or three bouts with first class local boys will round out a fight card that the promoters feel confident will please the packed house that is almost sure to be on hand.

The boxers are working out every night at the Tillicum Athletic Club gymnasium at 1305 Broad Street. The boys who can be seen in action any night are: Lewis, Ernie Woodley, Tommy Woodley, Danny Pascoe and Neel.

MUNRO SIGNS UP

MONTREAL, May 3.—D. Munro, captain of the Montreal Maroons hockey team, has signed a three-year contract with the Maroons, it was announced here yesterday.

Stribling Is Beaten By Tommy Loughran

NEW YORK, May 3.—Tommy Loughran, light-heavyweight contender from Philadelphia, slammed his way to a ten-round decision over Young Stribling, of Macon, Ga., in the feature match of New York's first open-air fight of the season here tonight. Loughran clearly outpointed the Southerner in seven of the ten rounds.

Lancashire Wins Cricket Opener

LONDON, May 3.—In an opening fixture of the English County Cricket season Lancashire defeated Warwick by eight wickets. Warwick scored in their two appearances at bat 263 and 64. Norman Kilner scored 60 and Bates 66 in Warwick's first innings.

Lancashire scored 285 and 43 for two wickets. The feature of the champion county's first innings was Hallows' 65.

MIDWEEK TITLE AT STAKE TODAY

RENNIE & TAYLORS AND TILLICUMS SOCCER ELEVENS IN FINAL

Teams Will Present Strong Line-Ups in Quest of Pendray Cup—Kick-Off at 2:30 oClock

With one of the strongest elevens that have worn their colors this season in the midweek soccer league the Tillicums will meet Rennie & Taylor's today at the Royal Athletic Park at 2:30 in the second game of the Pendray Cup series, emblematic of the championship of the Wednesday Football League.

The Bakers, who have the Rennie & Taylor and the Hayward Cups to their credit will be out at full strength today in an effort to get a hold on the coveted trophy. They will field their usual strong eleven and a keenly contested game is expected.

On the eve of the battle for the championship of the midweek soccer league the rival line-ups are announced as follows:

Rennie & Taylor's—Lomas; Newman and Gilbert; Sewell, McKinnon and Stewart; Taylor, Field, Speak, Merifield and Davis.

Tillicums—Spellar; Burns and Woolsey; Quinn, Davis and Owen; Rose, Weight, Brown, Borde and Rutledge.

INTERCOMPANY GOLF

The Intercompany golf competition of the 16th Canadian Scottish will take place at the Uplands Golf and Country Club on Sunday morning. Those intending to compete should enter their name and club handicap with Captain Styhensay, 1124 Broad Street, before noon on Saturday.

Has Long Way to Go To Win His Wager

Having covered 17,000 miles in a circle of North America, that began and will end in Vancouver, W. H. Chapman, shown above, arrived in Toronto last week. If he gets to Vancouver by Dominion Day, he wins a $5,000 bet.

Sportive Punches

By the "Old 'Un"

What's your pet superstition?

Or haven't you got one? If not, you're an exception in the sporting world.

It's extraordinary what a craze there seems to be among athletes and sportsmen for mascots in these modern scientific days when what would have been regarded as witchcraft by our grandfathers is just ordinary every day matter-of-fact stuff today.

A mascot is, strictly speaking, a little sorcerer or magician, or a person supposed to bring good luck to the household with which he is associated.

But the name is given nowadays to almost any animal or inanimate object which the superstition of its owner makes him think will bring him luck.

How about black cats? Some folks think they are unlucky and others take all kinds of trouble to get an all-black pussy to bring them good fortune.

Racing men in particular are very superstitious about the luck-bringing properties of certain animals, although in racing stables there is sometimes another reason why certain other animals than horses are kept.

We have always understood that a goat is usually kept in such a stable because a goat will face fire and a horse will not unless led by another animal, and will follow the goat in case of a conflagration at the stables.

And horses take to pets very much as their handlers do, and will not always do themselves justice in a race if their pets are not kept in their stables with them. They worry about them when absent.

Dogs, cats, monkeys and parrots are among the livestock kept as mascots by one stable, and no doubt, kept in their place, they do contribute to the happiness of the horses as well as the humans in charge of them.

Even geese and bears have been known to be kept as mascots in training stables. The last seem particularly peculiar animals for the purpose, as in their wild state they seem to hate each other as cordially as cat hates dog.

Well, if you're an animal lover, and if you're a sportsman you are sure to be, you can take your choice. One is just about as likely as another to bring you good luck. But—lay off parrots, they're apt to be embarrassing

START IS MADE WITH SOFTBALL LEAGUE GAMES

Teams Get Away Auspiciously in Ideal Weather for Play on Monday Evening in First Two Sections

CHAMPIONS SHOW MID-SEASON FORM

Y.M.C.A. Team Defeats Andreans, Last Year's Runners-Up, by Eight to Three —26 Teams in League

Ideal weatner favored the opening of the Victoria and District Softball League, and some good games were played.

At Beacon Hill the Y.M.C.A., last year's champions, played in mid-season form to defeat the Andreans, last year's runners-up for the city title, by 8-3. The game was keenly contested throughout. Some snappy plays were made, including a double play by the losers.

At the Garrison grounds, Bryant's Bluebirds, who are playing their first season in the "A" section, got away to a good start by defeating the Tommies, 10-5. The teams were fairly evenly balanced, but three costly errors in the losers' outfield were in no little degree responsible for their early downfall.

At the Canteen grounds the Hillcrests took the Victoria Brass & Iron Works' crew into action and handed them a 10-8 setback. The latter club, who last year played under Esquimalt's colors, will make the going a little rough for a number of teams in the section before the schedule is very old.

In the "B" section the Lemon-Gonnason nine had a comparatively easy time with Plimley & Ritchie's aggregation, and trounced them to the tune of 35-8.

At present twenty-six teams are playing in the league, and early indications point to the most successful season in the history of the league, which is operating here for its fourth term, having started three years ago with eight teams. The gradual growth of the number of teams in the league is conclusive proof of the popularity of the game. Friday will see the teams in the "C" and "D" sections playing their first games.

GOLF

By P. J. GAUDIN
Instructor at Skokie Country Club and Union League Club, Chicago

SWING SHOULD BE AUTOMATIC

The beginner in golf, especially if he or she is an adult, is faced at once with the knowledge that the golf swing is different from any other muscular exertion. Along with this, except in the case of youngsters, who seem able to learn by imitation, comes the rather overwhelming knowledge of the difficulty of making the swing correctly. Based on the teachings of the professional or other expert, one's natural ambition comes to the rescue.

The beginner who graduates into the average class and finally to a place among the stars, owes his advance to intelligent practice. There must be no such thing as the aimless swinging of the club or an attempt at slugging the ball before the swing is perfected. The first thought should be to learn how to make the best possible swing. Following that must come the intelligent practice which will make that swing automatic. The expert golfer spends no time in thinking of his swing when preparing to make a shot. He is concentrating wholly on distance and direction. His swing is automatic.

And that frame of mind comes about only by means of intelligent practice. Then, if any element of the swing goes wrong one can correct the fault because of the knowledge gained through practice. A slight fade-away developed in Cyril Walker's mid-iron shot in the third round of the National Open. He spent a half hour in correcting the fault just before starting on the final round. And he made that wonderful mid-iron approach on the seventieth hole that won him the championship. No better illustration could be cited of the intelligent practice which spells improvement in a golf game. First get the knowledge of how to make the swing and then anchor that knowledge by the intelligent practice that will make the swing automatic. Then if anything goes wrong, correct the fault at once with more practice. Deliberately plan to give some of your golfing time to practice alone. Actual play, without practice, will never develop one's game beyond a certain point. One might as well attempt to be a Paderewski without intimate acquaintance with scales and five-finger exercises.

RITHET CUP GOLF

Victoria One Up in Games—Had Lead in Hand Over Shaughnessy

The second half of the Rithet Cup match between Shaughnessy and Victoria Golf Club, played at Shaughnessy on Saturday, resulted in a win for Shaughnessy by sixteen points. This win, however, was not sufficient to overcome the lead of the Victoria Club, forty points, when the first half was played at Oak Bay last July. Shaughnessy won the 1924-25 match with a lead of thirty-one points, making them one game up. Victoria is now one game up. The cup has to be won three games in succession before it becomes the property of either club.

BOXERS WILL MEET

A meeting of all local boxers is called for Friday at 8 o'clock in the Tillicum Athletic Club gymnasium, 1305 Broad Street

SWIMMERS ARE NOW IN ATHLETIC UNION

C.A.S.A. Remains Governing Body—Records Are Officially Recognized at Meeting

MONTREAL, May 3.—The Canadian Amateur Swimming Association has decided to affiliate with the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada. This was the decision reached at the eighteenth annual meeting of the former body, here. Under the agreement the C.A.S.A. will, however, remain the supreme governing body for swimming.

The following records were recognized at the meeting, which was attended by W. H. Gathercole, British Columbia:

INDOOR COMPETITIONS

200-yard free style—George Young, at Montreal; time, 2:12.

220-yard back stroke—Tom Walker, at Montreal; 2:55.

400-yard relay—West End Y.M.C.A., at Montreal; 4:02 1-5.

100-yard back stroke—Munroe Bourne, at Montreal; 1:12 1-5.

Junior

100-yard free style—Munroe Bourne, at Montreal; :56 4-5.

440-yard free style—Thomas Gilday, at Montreal; 5:55 2-5.

50-yard free style—Vera Austin, at Winnipeg; :30 2-5.

OUTDOOR COMPETITIONS

George Young, at Toronto: 200-yard free style, 2:16; 500-yard free style, 6:23 1-5; 880-yard free style, 11:45; 1,000-yard free style, 13:20 4-5; one mile free style, 24:31.

Jack Aubin, at Toronto: 200-yard breast stroke, 3:00.

Jack Aubin: 500-yard breast stroke, 6:12.

Miss Agnes Geraghty, at Victoria: 100-yard breast stroke, 3:12 2-5.

Miss R. Coughlan, at Ottawa: 100-yard free style, 1:13 2-5.

Miss Ethel McGary, at Victoria: 880-yard free style, 12:41.

Miss Irene O'Byrne, at Ottawa: 200-yard back stroke, 1:31.

The following outdoor championship competitions were awarded:

British Columbia section, July 2—100-yard speed, 300-yard speed, 200-yard breast stroke for men, 200-yard for women.

At Calgary, August 17—50-yard speed for men, 100-yard speed for women.

Indoor competition at Winnipeg, March 12, 1928—100-yard speed, 440-yard speed for men, 100-yard speed and 220-yard speed for women.

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SPRING DOG SHOW HERE THIS MONTH

Will Be Held at Armories on May 13 and 14—Chris. Shuttleworth, of California, Judge

All roads for dog lovers will lead to the Armories, Bay Street, on May 13 and 14, when the Victoria City Kennel Club will hold its Spring show. The committee is to be congratulated on securing the Armories, as the spacious building is excellently suited to the purpose.

Harry Dodds, a well-known figure in foreign and local dog circles, is giving his services as show superintendent, and this will be welcome information to many of the exhibitors.

Dog owners who find it impossible to accompany their entries can rest assured that the animals will receive all the care and attention possible. Any dogs shipped by train or boat will be met and benched by the Show Superintendent free of charge.

All dogs will be examined by Dr. Hamilton, the Club's veterinary surgeon, before entering the building, and every precaution will be taken to prevent any animal entering the show that is infected.

Chris Shuttleworth, of California, will be the man in the ring, and his international experience in the judging of dogs will give the competitors every confidence.

The premium list, which is the largest and best ever offered, includes silver cups, cut glass and a large amount of cash prizes, as well as many other valuable articles.

Entries for this big event close on May 7. Full premium list and entry forms can be obtained from the Secretary, J. Bryant, 563 Head Street, phone 3403L.

Chosen Polo Team Captain

The international polo series will be played again this Summer between a representative team from Great Britain and the United States. Devereux Milburn has been chosen to captain the letter team again. He is here seen in the uniform of a Home Defence Guard.

DUNCAN WINS MEDAL IN COWICHAN GOLF CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP

DUNCAN, May 3.—K. F. Duncan won the medal for the qualifying round of the open championship of Cowichan Golf Club with a score of 80. A. H. Peterson was runner-up with 83.

The following were the scores of those qualifying:

K. F. Duncan	80
A. H. Peterson	83
Y. Birley	85
B. Colk	88
H. St. G. Stepney	89
T. Kingscote	90
H. R. Punnett	92
W. B. Powel	92
H. F. Prevost	93
H. Macmillan	96
J. S. Robinson	99
E. W. Carr-Hilton	100
Phil Jaynes	103
B. Hope	105
W. B. Harper	105
H. C. Brock	106

The monthly medal competition was played at the same time, and T. Kingscote was the winner with a gross score of 90—handicap 24, net 66.

In the finals for the Robinson Cup, played among the lady members, Miss K. Robertson won, defeating Mrs. Boyd-Wallis by 2 and 1.

DAVIS LEADS IN BILLIARD MATCH

MANCHESTER, Eng., May 3.—In his professional billiards championship match of 16,000 points with Tommy Newman, J. Davis led at the conclusion of tonight's play at 165 points. Newman, during the last few days, has usually been 200 or 300 points ahead of Davis. The scores were: Davis, to play, 10,666; Newman, 10,501.

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SOFTBALL TEAMS TO PLAY FIRST GAMES

"C" and "D" Sections Will Get Under Way on Friday With Four Games to Be Played

Softball games announced for Friday in the Victoria and District Softball League are as follows:

Section "B"—Tillicums vs. Normal School, at Normal School.

Section "C"—Gyros vs. Cameron Woodmen, at Central Park, lower diamond; Colonist vs. Y.M.C.A. "B," at Work Point Barracks; Hudson's Bay vs. Albion Stove Works, at Central Park, upper diamond.

Section "D"—Spencers vs. Andreans, at Beacon Hill; the Navy, U.C.T., Foresters, Wilson Bros. and the Five C's have a bye.

The last-mentioned team is the home club.

These games will be the first in their respective sections, with the exception of the Tillicums-Normal School game.

SECTIONAL SECRETARIES

A meeting of the sectional secretaries is called for tomorrow at the Y.M.C.A. at 8 o'clock, when it is hoped that the secretary of each section will be on hand.

CYCLISTS WILL HOLD MONTHLY CLUB MEETS

Members Will Race on Wednesday Afternoons—Practice Will Be Carried Out Each Week

At a meeting of the Victoria Cycling Club, held in the Y.M.C.A. last night, President Walker presented Joe North with a cigarette case in appreciation of his services at the various meets held by the club.

A schedule for club races was drawn up, which is as follows: May 18, June 15, July 13 and August 17.

Practices will be carried out every Tuesday night at the Royal Athletic Park.

Membership cards for the season are available from S. Shemilt, 611 View Street, or F. W. Rose, 1417 Douglas Street.

MATCHES CLOSE IN COLWOOD GOLF

Matches were all fairly close in yesterday's first round match play of the ladies' championship of the Colwood Golf and Country Club. The results follow:

Mrs. Philbrick beat Mrs. Pocock, 3 and 2.

Mrs. Wilding beat Mrs. Armstrong, 1 up.

Mrs. Parry beat Mrs. Allen, 3 and 1.

Mrs. Abell beat Miss Schwengers, 1 up.

In the first flight:

Miss Carey beat Miss Richards, 5 and 3.

Mrs. Richardson beat Mrs. Burnes, 5 and 4.

Mrs. Rasmussen beat Mrs. Lawson, 2 and 1.

Mrs. Hall beat Mrs. Crowe, 5 and 4.

In the second flight:

Mrs. Gray beat Mrs. Criddle, 3 and 1.

Miss Fraser had a bye.

Pigeon Racing

The Victoria and District Racing Pigeon Club held a race from Castle Rock on Saturday, an air line of 150 miles, 147 birds competing from nineteen lofts. This was a very disastrous race owing to high wind and rain, only a few lofts timed in on the day of liberation. The following are the results and time of arrivals:

W. Simpson's Dinna Ken	4:12:31
Dr. Kelley's Freckles	4:12:31
W. R. Tait's Wildfire	4:13:50
W. Bryan's Barney B	4:16:13
R. Barrie's Beverley	4:28:38
R. Dickinson's Kirkland	4:47:06
J. H. Frampton's Black Arrow	5:51:13
J. Bowcott's King Bill	7:38:24
G. Denonia's Scramble	11:18:23

W. Simpson wins R. H. Pooley's special for first bird, and Dr. Kelley wins the nomination pool. The next race will be from Portland, Oregon, on Saturday next.

Ulster United Win Soccer Championship

MONTREAL, May 2.—Ulster United, of Toronto, won the Canadian soccer championship for 1927, when they defeated Montreal Maroons by 1-0 here yesterday. This gave them a count of 6-1 on the series, the Toronto eleven having beaten Montreal last week in the Ontario capital by 5-1.

PIRATES DEFEATED

LOS ANGELES, May 3.—An all-star team of California professional hockey players defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates 1-0 here last night. It was the closing game of the Los Angeles hockey season.

British Golf Pros To Play in Toronto

TORONTO, May 3.—It was announced today that the match between members of the British Ryder Cup team and ten Canadian professionals will be played at the Toronto Club on Saturday, June 18, and that the Canadian team will be composed of the first ten professionals in the Ontario open championship, which will be held Monday, June 13.

LONE KNIGHT WINS THE CHESTER VASE

Long Shot Takes Feature Race of Yesterday's Meet—Pantera Three-Quarters of Length Behind

CHESTER, Eng., May 3. — Lady Eleanor Terrington's three-year-old Lone Knight, by All Alone-Historic, won the Chester Vase this afternoon by three-quarters of a length from Sol Joel's Pantera. W. Cascalet's Maidstone was third, two lengths back.

The betting was 100 to 15 against Lone Knight; 100 to 8 against Pantera, and 5 to 1 against Maidstone. Eight ran.

The race was one mile and a half with $10,000 added.

The Chester Vase is for three-year-olds, feature of the first day of the Chester Spring meet. Tomorrow the Chester Cup, more than a century old, will be run over the two and a quarter mile cup course, and the race for the Dee Stakes will be the feature on Thursday.

IRISH BEATS BOYS IN BILLIARD MATCH

Western Champion Fails to Reduce Local Man's Lead in Handicap Match of 700 Up

Spotting Bert Irish 200 in a match of 700 up at English billiards, Sid Boys, Western Canadian champion, failed to get on even terms with the local man at the Metropolis last night and Irish ran out the winner by 700 to 491.

The local man was playing in good form, while the visitor naturally had some difficulty in finding the strength of the strange table. Irish had a high break of 104, Boys' best was 124.

Tomorrow Boys will play Chris Owens at the Pacific Club at 8 o'clock, 700 up, with 200 start for Owens.

Belanger to Fight Cliffe on Friday

VANCOUVER, May 3. — Charlie Belanger, the hard-hitting Vancouver light-heavyweight, and Roy Cliffe have been matched to meet in the ten-round main event here next Friday, May 6.

Belanger and Cliffe have met twice before in hard-fought battles, with Belanger winning one on a foul in seven rounds and Cliffe winning a ten-round decision in the other.

Both are anxious for a shot at Harry Dillon and his Canadian light-heavyweight championship, and Matchmaker Jack Allen has promised the winner that bout after the coming Foley and Morgan bout.

BUD TAYLOR WINS FROM EX-CHAMPION

CHICAGO, May 3.—Bud Taylor, of Terre Haute, recognized by acclamation as the world's bantamweight champion, won the verdict over Abe Attell Goldstein, of New York, former undisputed holder of the title, in their ten-round battle at the Coliseum tonight.

The match, with three others, was witnessed by 8,000 people, with receipts around $30,000.

Five U.S. Lady Golfers Go After British Title

NEW YORK, May 3.—The United States will be represented by five competent women golfers in the British women's golf championships in England, beginning May 16. They are Miss Jane Brooks, Englewood; Miss Alice Lee Beadleston, Rockaway Hunting Club; Mrs. M. L. R. Spaulding, Buffalo Country Club; and Mrs. George Newman Lewis, Los Angeles.

ABE ESPINSOA WINS

SAN JOSE, Cal., May 3.—Abe Espinosa, of San Francisco, finished with scores of 69-73-142, two strokes better than Arthur Brooks, of San Jose Country Club, in yesterday's qualifying round of the Professional Golfers' Association of Northern California. Harold Sampson, defending titleholder, finished sixth with 149. Twenty-seven golfers participated.

OUTSIDERS WIN BOXING TITLES

NINE OF DOMINION CHAMPIONSHIPS GO TO VISITING ATHLETES

Harry Cobb Takes Heavyweight Championship—American Wins Main Wrestling Event

WINNIPEG, May 4.—Outside competitors carried off the major honors at the Dominion boxing and wrestling championships which concluded here early today. Nor fewer than nine of the fourteen titles decided went to visiting athletes, while the local boys were successful in attaining the other five.

Harry Cobb, Camp Borden, Ont., defeated Jean Retell, "the fighting cop" of Montreal, to win the light-heavyweight championship of Canada.

George Pember, Winnipeg, was awarded the flyweight championship by a narrow decision over B. Hannon, of Winnipeg.

The bantamweight championship went to Jimmy Connolly, of Montreal, who won over P. Shiffer, of Winnipeg.

The featherweight championship was awarded to Paul Frederickson, Winnipeg.

The welterweight division title was captured by H. Smith, Montreal, who gained a close decision over George Ash, also of Montreal.

The middleweight championship went to Laurie Peppin, Winnipeg, who won from J. Gadsden, also a local puncher.

A. Smith, Montreal, defeated George Ash, also of Montreal, to take the welterweight title.

The lightweight crown was taken by F. Volkert, of Montreal, by default.

In the heavyweight wrestling championship, Earl McCready, of Stillwater College, Oklahoma, was the victor over W. C. Crossley, Winnipeg.

B. B. Anderson, of Kenora, Ont., won the verdict and captured the middleweight title from George Degroot, of Winnipeg, on points.

J. Trivunov, of Regina, captured the bantamweight championship for Western Canada, defeating O. Mason, of Toronto.

The lightweight title was won by W. L. McIntyre, of Winnipeg, from J. Bliss, Regina.

R. Priestly, of Toronto, won the welterweight from C. Hiller, of Regina.

CURRIE SHIELD WON BY SAANICH PLATOON

Leads by One Point in Rifle Shoot for Trophy—P. Wilkinson Makes Highest Score

The challenge shield presented by Sir Arthur Currie for annual competition among the platoons of the 122th Battalion was won by No. 2, Saanich Platoon, by the narrow margin of one point. The cup, also presented by Sir Arthur, for the highest individual score made in the match, went to Lieut. P. Wilkinson.

Team scores were as follows:

NO. 2—SAANICH PLATOON			
Lieut. Ian Grant	32	31	29—92
Capt. E. R. Simonds	28	31	31—90
Capt. C. Nesbitt	29	31	28—88
Team total			270
NO. 5—SIR JAMES DOUGLAS PLATOON			
Lieut. P. Wilkinson	32	31	32—95
Lieut. G. D'Arcy	30	31	29—90
L.-Cpl. R. Carey	28	28	31—84
Team total			269
NO. 7—NORTH WARD PLATOON			
Sgt. L. Bong	30	31	32—92
Lieut. M. Bond	32	30	31—93
Sgt. W. Hill	23	28	28—79
Team total			264
NO. 8—GEORGE JAY PLATOON			
Capt. Neil Perry	30	31	32—92
Sgt. T. Hall	25	27	26—78
Cdt. D. Stoddart	25	23	29—77
Team total			257
NO. 3—OAKLANDS PLATOON			
Sgt. W. Murray	27	31	33—91
Lieut. A. C. N. Smith	29	31	29—89
Sgt. S. Pringle	21	22	27—70
Team total			250
NO. 4—SOUTH PARK PLATOON			
Lieut. O. Parrott	34	28	29—81
Cdt. D. Bird	27	23	28—78
Cdt. E. Raynor	16	14	16—46
Team total			205
SIR JAMES DOUGLAS CADET COMPANY			
Cpl. W. Mosedale	36	31	30—97
Cdt. E. Harrison	24	26	24—74
Cdt. L. D'Arcy	17	29	23—69
Team total			230

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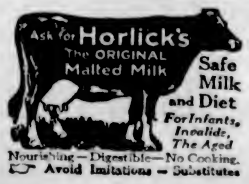

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Unusual Electric Lighting and Bright Costumes Featured in "The "Romantic Young Lady"

The Vancouver Daily Province, speaking of the comedy to be presented here by the Players' Club of the University of British Columbia on Friday next, under the auspices of the local Kiwanis Club, remarks: "In its twelfth annual Spring performance, the Players' Club of the University of British Columbia on Wednesday night gave a pleasing presentation of "The Romantic Young Lady," English version of G. Martinez Sierra's sprightly Spanish comedy. A capacity audience greeted the players in the University Theatre at Point Grey and gave enthusiastic applause to their efforts.

"Produced for the first time in Canada, 'The Romantic Young Lady' proved to be a good example of modern European comedy. It abounds in humorous situations and sparkling lines and is excellent in technique."

The play is cleverly put together, the costumes and scenery lending much color to the presentation. Those who have seen the University Players on any of their previous visits here will realize that "The Romantic Young Lady" should afford a very entertaining evening in the theatre.

Special electrical effects that add much realism to the beauty of the Spanish night as well as to the Summer storm that occurs in the opening act are being brought on tour in spite of the attending difficulty. The Players' Club will stage the play as it was presented in Vancouver, with realistic lighting and tasteful costumes.

CAPITOL THEATRE The added attractions at the Capitol Theatre this week are exceptionally fine and include Chief Eagle Feather, reputed to be America's only Indian tap dancer. Also on this bill are included Mac McRea and Marie Celestine, comediennes, in a novelty skit entitled "No Foolin'." The Capitol Theatre Concert Orchestra will also be featured with another fine musical programme. Del Henderson, who has an important role in "Getting Gertie's Garter," a new Metropolitan comedy starring Marie Prevost, boasts the distinction of having appeared in the first five-reel feature picture ever produced in Hollywood, Cal. The title of this rip-roaring melodrama was "Gold Is Not All" and it was directed by D. W. Griffith in 1910. The picture when released was a novelty and created something of a furore. With Henderson in the cast were Mack Sennett, Kathryn Williams and Laura Arvidson. No studio being available, the entire picture was "shot" outside. Hollywood streets served as the "set." Motion picture production has undergone a vast change from the days of "Gold Is Not All" to the present era of "Getting Gertie's Garter," which will be on view at the Capitol Theatre this week. The expenditure entailed in one of the huge "sets" of the Prevost vehicle would have financed a flock of "features" in the old days. Miss Prevost is supported by a strong cast headed by Charles Ray.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE At the Playhouse Theatre there is a charming love story packed with drama and bubbling over with comedy. Doris Kenyon and Lloyd Hughes are featured. Directed by Alfred E. Green and made under the production management of B. P. Fineman the film sustains a high degree of entertainment and abounds in real punches that make spectators gasp. Comedy contrasts with touches of pathos, thrills with tense drama, suspense with surprise "kinks." A supporting cast of real artists creates some strongly marked characterizations that will be remembered.

VARIETY THEATRE In acting in the third episode of "The Wandering Jew," I met with a painful little accident, said Malvina Longfellow, who is in the cast. As the wife of Matteo I leave him to enter a convent, and climb the hill to the retreat, carrying a torch to light the way. The wind was blowing strongly, and some of the burning liquid from the torch fell onto my wrist and burnt it so badly that I shall carry the scar for the remainder of my days. Luckily for me, it was not my face that the liquid fell upon. "The Wandering Jew," featuring Matheson Lang, is showing at the Variety Theatre.

DOMINION THEATRE The eagerly awaited presentation of the magnificent British war spectacle, "Mons," conceded to be the greatest of all war films of the Great War, will take place at the Dominion Theatre al this week as the featured attraction of an all-British programme of motion pictures. "Mons" is a mighty document of the "Old Contemptibles," a true story of the great British retreat that spelled victory, produced with the sanction of His Majesty's Army Council. No good in this small written impression, to try and tell of any particular incident. But they are there. They are there from the superb work of solitary sappers, who blow up bridges and railway track in the very teeth of the foe, to the glorious and victorious battle of "Battery L," of the R.H.A. — that "one lone gun in the dawn." You see that unparalleled example of the power of martial music over uterly exhausted men.

COLISEUM THEATRE A real good bill is offered at the Coliseum Theatre this week, as both the stage and the screen present the best that can be offered. On the stage is the musical comedy, "Her Ladysmith," which for long laughs could not be beaten. Joe Evans, as the butler, impersonates a titled woman in order to aid his master, and from that moment the fun starts, and the laughs are scored quickly, one on top of the other when Joe Evans, as "Her Ladyship," stalks majestically round the stage, trying to keep his part up in front of the old father. He keeps on making slips now and then, and when he does, the audience simply roars. Joe Evans is a past-master in the art of getting an audience laughing and keeping them that way till the end of the show.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Marguerite De La Motte always does her own fighting, she says. A big fight scene during the hi-jacking of a run ship in the final sequence of "Red Dice," Rod LaRocque's new star picture showing for the last times today at the Columbia Theatre, called for Marguerite's actual engagement in the fray. When told of this scene and asked whether she wanted an extra to double for her, Marguerite replied emphatically "No!"—that she'd do her own fighting. And she did. In "Red Dice," Miss De La Motte has the role of a girl whose brother falls into the trap set by a bootleg king and when he revolts his death is ordered. The girl undertakes to save him and the bootleg Czar forces her into marriage with a down and out war veteran played by Rod La Rocque. How this marriage ultimately brings happiness to both, is graphically pictured. There are many scenes of dramatic force and appeal.

AMUSEMENTS

THE SCREEN

Capitol—"Getting Gertie's Garter," featuring Marie Provost and Charles Ray.

Columbia—Rod La Rocque in "Red Dice."

Dominion—"Mons," with an all-star cast.

Variety—Matheson Lang in "The Wandering Jew."

THE STAGE

Coliseum—"Her Ladyship."

Playhouse—"The Bishop and the Burglar."

Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.

B.C. GROUP SEEN BEHIND RUM RING

American Officials Think Liquor Barons of This Province Backers of Whisky Runners

SEATTLE, May 3.—Certain British Columbia liquor barons were the "master minds" behind the wholesale rum-running venture to which Federal prohibition agents dealt a smashing blow over the week-end when Agents Alfred Hubbard and R. L. Fryant and aides captured a $16,000 booze cargo and rounded up seven prisoners, Federal officers said today.

First deceiving the Canadian Government by withdrawing liquor ostensibly for shipment to foreign ports a Vancouver clique diverted it to small rum-running boats, Federal officers say.

"BELINDA" PLAYED BY CO-OPTIMISTS

The Co-optimists scored another success last evening when they presented a clever two-act comedy, "Belinda," by A. A. Milne, at the Crystal Garden. Each part was exceptionally well played and the audience was loud in its applause. Those taking part were Mrs. Legge Willis as Belinda, to whose charms many suitors had fallen; Miss Ella Pottinger, Delia, the pretty and irresistible daughter; Mrs. Sturrock, a most dignified maid, Betty; Mr. L. L. Phillips, as Mr. Devenish, who had poetical aspirations; Major Taylor, as Mr. Baxter, somewhat of a statistician, and Mr. Legge Willis, who took the part of Mr. Tremayne, alias Mr. Robinson.

Under the direction of Mr. Findler, the Crystal Garden Orchestra played the "Schauspiel Overture" (Bach), selections from "The Mikado," and as the final number, "Wellington March" (Zehle).

THAT BUSINESS INSTINCT

Some men are born with the big business instinct, and Wilkins was one of them.

One day two intimate friends were talking of his commercial abilities in the club and pointing to the qualities that gave him the knack of making money.

"Few men show such keen business instinct," remarked one.

"Is he really full of it?" asked the other.

"Full of it?" was the reply. "Why he even refers to his better half as his fifty-per-cent preferred."

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United States aviator, who performed a remarkable feat of safely piloting an airplane to a stop with a broken landing gear. Three other persons were in the plane with him at the time, including two children. Chamberlin, together with Bert Acosta, who was an aviator instructor in Toronto during the war, holds the world's flight endurance record.

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A New Portrait of Canadian Minister

A striking new portrait, Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian minister at Washington, from a study by B. J. Woolf, New York artist.

ARION CLUB CLOSE ANOTHER SEASON

Popular Programme Given at Empress Last Evening Enthusiastically Applauded

Fresh from its success at the recent Musical Festival here, the Arion Club sang with wonderful spirit and enthusiasm last evening in concluding their thirty-fifth season. The programme was marked by an exceptional quantity of new matter, and the delivery, at its best, by splendid cohesion, balance and feeling which reflected long hours of rehearsing. Of the thirteen numbers sung by the club, eight were unaccompanied, and in thus dispensing with the support of the piano the choir followed up the best traditions of choral singing and gave further evidence of the sincerity and earnestness which animates this veteran organization of male voices. On this, the second concert of the present season, the club was assisted as soloist by Miss Eva Hart, a soprano who has charmed Victoria audiences with her art and personality for more than a decade, and who last evening in a group of four numbers displayed anew the fresh and brilliant quality of her voice. The accompaniments throughout were in the capable hands of Mrs. Clifford Warn.

The programme opened with F. H. Brackett's "Vocal March," an inspiriting and crisply-delivered number which made an admirable beginning. Basses and tenors each had an opportunity in this, and the clean attack, controlled tone, and admirable phrasing which were to characterize practically all the numbers were at once shown. This was one of the accompanied numbers, others being Dr. Arne's "Convivial Song," Sir Harry Bishop's "Mynheer Vanduck," H. Mohr's "At the Altar of Truth," the Lizst arrangement of Schubert's "Omnipotence," and the Pilgrim's Chorus from "Tannhauser." Mr. Charles Conyers, bass, carried with credit the solo part in the first-mentioned of these; "Mynheer Vanduck" was delivered with good round tone and appreciation of the tempo. But the most satisfactory were unquestionably the "Omnipotence" and "Pilgrims' Chorus." The former is both dramatic and majestic, and no atom of either quality was lost in the splendidly dignified rendering given by the choir, with Miss Hart carrying the solo in a voice which carried high and clear above the organ tones of the male voices. Also, after hearing what magnificent effects can be obtained from an operatic star like that of "Tannhauser," which more than anything during the entire evening displayed the full tonal resources of the choir, one could not help wishing that at some time the Arion Club might see fit to build a programme almost entirely from such material. Mr. Frank Sehl, the assistant conductor to the choir, took the baton for this number, which was extremely impressive. Tremendous double fortes were worked up with a crescendo of tone which resembled the opening of the diapason on an organ.

Of the eight unaccompanied numbers, four proved such favorites that they were called for again. Two of the greatest favorites were "John Peel," the first of the Festival numbers with which the choir won its cup, and "Cossack War Song" (Horatio Parker). The latter, musically as well as poetically, employs the principle of onomatopoeia, the rapid "clop, clop" used as a vocal accompaniment all through the number suggesting the sound of galloping hoofs. This was sung with splendid spirit. The other repeated numbers were Underhill's "Bend Low, O Dusky Night," treated in a poetic mood, and showing appealing lyrical qualities and beautiful tonal coloring, and Sullivan's "The Long Day Closes," a composition of graceful harmonies written round a poetic theme. This also displayed fine tonal graduations, and was beautifully phrased. The other unaccompanied numbers were humorous, "I Am So Nervous" (Kucken), "De Sandman" (Protheroe), the late Mr. Howard Russell's "Sands of Dee," which has always been a favorite with Arion Club audiences, and Edward German's "Sleeping."

Miss Eva Hart's group opened with the "Jewel Song" from "Faust." This was brilliantly sung, with a sense of the rapturous feeling inspiring the young Margarite. The fresh, vivid quality of Miss Hart's voice lends itself admirably to the interpretation of this role, and a finished artistry lies behind her beautiful coloratura soprano. The two Canadian numbers which followed served to display still further her versatility and range of voice, the first, "My Desire," expressing a pretty sentiment, and the second, the ecstatic "Welcome, Sweet Wind," in its laughing staccato notes followed by more purely lyrical passages. As an encore for this group she added "On the Day I Get to Heaven," with a whimsical humor which made a strong appeal to the audience.

HOME, SWEET HOME

There was once a certain teacher who believed that a deep and profound reverence for home was a thing that all her pupils should be made to feel.

"Who can give a definition of home?" she asked the class one day.

There was a distinct silence. It could almost be felt.

"Surely," continued the teacher, "surely some of you must have an idear."

A small boy stood up.

"Home," he announced, "is the building which usually stands in front of the garage."

Bathing Beauties Will Appear at the Dominion Tonight

The prize winners of the Bathing Beauty Contest will appear on the Dominion stage tonight, at 8.45, to receive their prizes, which will be presented to them by George I. Warren, managing secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. This will mark the final appearance of the entrants of the 1927 contest. Headed by Miss Victoria, who will appear both in bathing costume and in her gift superb evening gown and also the hats and shoes presented to her, the other six prize winners will also receive their gifts.

FEAR ENTERTAINED WARM WEATHER MAY RESULT IN FLOODS

Following the warning that appeared in these columns some time ago, as set out in the announcement of Mr. F. Napier Denison, director of the Meteorological Station here, that weather conditions were such as to foreshadow the possibility of high waters in the rivers of the Province, the Department of Public Works is taking care to guard as far as possible against any loss should floods occur.

The water is reported to be low in all the rivers and at the same time the mountains are carrying a heavy burden of snow. A sudden change in conditions, with long-continued warm weather, would be attended with serious results it is believed.

Marino-Cristofi Cases Again Argued in Court

VANCOUVER, May 3.—Further effort to obtain release of Frank Marino and Dominic Crisofi on a writ of habeas corpus was begun before Chief Justice Gordon Hunter this afternoon with Stuart Henderson and Gordon S. Wismer, acting for the prisoners, and W. C. Brown, K.C., for the Crown. The same point, that the accused were convicted by Magistrate H. C. Shaw of conspiring with a lesser number of persons than were mentioned on the original charge of conspiracy to smuggle narcotic drugs, was raised. After hearing part of the argument, His Lordship adjourned the case until tomorrow.

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in the Nyal Creophos Word Contest. The entry of Mrs. Frank G. More won the decision of the judges. The other prizes have been awarded to the next twenty contestants and cheques forwarded by registered mail.

We wish to take this opportunity of thanking all of the many friends of the famous Nyal line of Family Remedies for their interest in our first word contest.

Our second great word contest

commenced the first week of April and closes at midnight, June 30th. $600 cash is being offered in prizes. The new contest is in connection with our already popular remedy

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MANY CASES OF DISTRESS ASSISTED

Deserted Wives Make Problem for Friendly Help Association

There were thirteen members present at the meeting of the Friendly Help Association held in the Market Building yesterday morning. Mrs. William Grant, first vice-president, presiding.

A standing vote of sympathy was given to relatives and friends of the association's late co-worker, Mrs. Alexander. Her memory will ever be cherished by the association. Her willingness to assist at all times endeared her to all.

The secretary was instructed to write a letter to Mrs. Burkholder, one of the charter members, conveying the association's best wishes for her speedy recovery.

The association would like to express grateful thanks to all who contributed Easter donations. Seventy-five families enjoyed buns, eggs and jam.

During the month of April 142 cases, representing 545 persons, were assisted. Of these seventy-nine had groceries (some weekly); fifty-two had meat; forty-four had milk; twenty-three had fuel; forty-eight had clothing, and five new pairs of shoes were given to children.

One of the most trying problems is dealing with wives and children of men who have left and fail to send any money to help maintain their families. The association feels most stringent methods should be used to bring such men to time.

The Friendly Help Association acknowledges with grateful thanks the following donations received during April, 1927:

Cash—The City, Mrs. D. R. Ker, Mrs. John Galt, Mr. James Purdy, Mrs. L. Austin, V.I.M.P.A., Western Fuel, Mrs. T. W. Paterson, Miss Tabor, A Sincere Friend, Mr. Frank Harris, T. N. Hibben & Co., Mr. H. F. Hewlett, Oakland Dairy, Queen's Market, Twenty-Three, A Friend, A Gospel Friend, Outer Wharf Grocery, Mrs. Armstrong, Mr. G. D. Christie, Mr. W. D. Todd, Mrs. Crowe-Baker, B.C. Electric Railway Co. (per A. T. Goward, vice-president).

Clothing—Mr. Sturrock, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. James Porter, Mrs. Beckton, Miss Earl (sweater), Mr. Russel Ker, Mr. Heyer, Mrs. Gill (new sweater), Mrs. Fowler, Beehive (hats), Mrs. Blankenbach, Mrs. Buller, Mrs. John Galt, Mrs. Driscoll, Mrs. Howard Miller, Mr. Afternoon Tea, Duncan; Mrs. Daly, Mrs. Heming, Mrs. J. H. Lee, Mrs. P. Taylor, Mrs. Eagle, Mr. Jackson, Mrs. C. D. Watson (new socks), Mr. Randall, Mrs. Alexander, Mrs. Baird, Mrs. J. G. Roberston, Miss Flick, Miss Kynock (shoes), Mrs. Bremner, Mrs. Dann (new baby's socks), Mrs. Ballam, Mrs. Wodward, Mrs. F. N. Payne, Miss P. Lewis, Miss Hall (hats), Mr. R. Angus, Mrs. Holcombe, Mrs. Brooks (shoes), Mrs. Menendez, Mrs. A. Kent, Mr. Frank Richardson.

Sundries—Friend (bedstead and spring, chairs, etc.), Mrs. Holcombe (glasses), Mrs. Baird (children's chairs), Collinson & Mills (paper bags), Mrs. Snell (glasses).

We especially thank the following for their Easter gifts:

Cash—Miss Gallettey, Miss Galt, A Sincere Friend, F. E., Mrs. Peddle, Miss Hungerford, G. J., Miss Houghton, Miss A. Renny.

Hot cross buns—Mrs. J. Phipps, Mrs. R. Jones, Mrs. G. B. Williams, Mrs. E. M. Johnson, Mrs. Armstrong, Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Dunsford, Mr. H. Lethaby, Mrs. Jay, Mrs. Edith Higgins, Mrs. Heisterman, Mrs. E. A. Erb, Mrs. Driscoll, Mrs. Edwin Johnson, Mr. P. Landsberg, Mrs. Cassidy, O. A. B., Mrs. John Cochrane, Mrs. Summerfield, Mrs. Gregory, Miss Mara, A Friend, Mrs. W. D. Morgan, Mrs. Bishop, Mrs. Wallace.

Jam—Mrs. P. Taylor, Mrs. Cochrane, Mrs. E. A. Erb, Mrs. W. D. Morgan, Mrs. F. N. Payne, Mrs. G. B. Williams, Mrs. Gregory, A Friend, Mrs. Tuson, Mrs. Terry, Miss Blankenbach.

Potatoes—Government House.

Eggs—Mrs. R. F. Green, Mrs. Summerfield, Mr. F. G. Quick, Royal Oak; A Friend, Mrs. Terry, Mrs. G. B. Williams, Mrs. E. A. Erb, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Pettit.

Oranges—Mrs. Armstrong and Mrs. Driscoll.

Tea—Mrs. Godsal.

Cakes—Mr. H. Lethaby and Mrs. G. B. Williams.

Many anonymous gifts of various kinds were also received.

Health Officer Says Home Is Not Adequate

The Children's Aid Home, says Dr. A. G. Price, City Health Officer, should be enlarged to provide better sleeping accommodation for the senior girls and suitable quarters for the older boys. In his annual report to the City Council on hospitals and homes Dr. Price says the Home has been frequently overcrowded in 1926.

17th Century Doors Are Brought to Canada

L. Babayan, of Toronto, has just returned to Canada from a six weeks' trip in Northern Africa, bringing with him a couple of old doors of the seventeenth century. They were secured from the Mussee de Divan, at Tunis.

Police Plan Close Guard For Russians at Geneva

GENEVA, May 3.—Elaborate police precautions are being taken by Switzerland to protect the Soviet delegation to the forthcoming International Economic Conference. The authorities have reserved an entire floor of the Hotel D'Angleterre. The Soviet delegation is expected tomorrow evening.

Canadian Pacific Railway Excursion to Bellingham Tulip Festival, May 6. Princess Louise leaves Victoria at 9:30 a.m. Adults, $2.05; children, $1. Leave Bellingham 5:30 p.m. Tickets now on sale.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

THE COFFEE DRINKING CHAMPIONSHIP

No Sunday School picnic would be complete without a pie eating contest. Parents who work so hard to elect their Prohibition candidates will eagerly enter their children in these pie eating contests and apparently do not consider it wrong or intemperate. Children who are encouraged to enter such contests are given a very bad start in life.

The gourmands have found a new champion in a real estate man from Texas, who succeeded in drinking one hundred cups of coffee in seven hours and fifteen minutes. He sat in a restaurant and drank one cup after another, until he had put away one hundred full-sized cups of coffee. This broke the record of eighty-five cups formerly held by a misguided youth from Minneapolis.

You can look for this feat of guzzling to be shown in the movie theatres, and you may even have the pleasure of seeing a demonstration made by the champion on your local stage. This champion will probably be offered a good sum of money by some enterprising coffee company for a statement to the effect that their coffee was used and that it never hurt him one bit.

It is doubtless true that many people drink a cup or two of coffee daily without noticing any perceptible harm, but my experience with my patients has shown conclusively that a cup of coffee with sugar and cream taken at breakfast will impair a man's efficiency two or three hours afterwards. If cream and sugar are used with the cereal coffees, about the same amount of harm will result.

The kidneys are forced to eliminate this muddy liquid and are unable to perform their normal function. The elimination of toxins is thereby retarded. This results in a physical and mental depression, which is actually shown by certain diseases.

The man who works with his brain will be interested to know that mental tests made three hours after a coffee breakfast will show a depression of mental faculties of from twenty to thirty per cent. I have made such tests with hundreds of subjects, making the same test each day for several days. Exactly the same breakfast was used each day, except that on some particular morning a cup of coffee with cream and sugar was added.

Without knowing on which day the coffee was taken, I have always been able to tell by this mental test. The difference is not small, but is quite pronounced, and leaves no room for doubt but that this drinking has more of a depressing effect than a stimulating one.

Those who wish to keep their efficiency up to the highest possible point should take note of this fact and avoid such useless enervation.

PRINCE TOURS SPAIN

GRANADA, Spain, May 3.—The Prince of Wales and Prince George, his brother, visited the Alhambra yesterday. They also went to the Tomb of Isabella the Catholic, and of Fernando, her husband, who made possible Columbus' discovery of America.

In the porch of a church in Putney, London, is a library containing 1,000 volumes. Borrowers simply walk in and help themselves to any book they fancy.

AMERICANS SAW BEACON SIGNAL

Vancouver Anniversary Beacon Fire Here Visible to Thousand Attending Dungeness Ceremony

Fully 1,000 Americans at Dungeness, across the Strait of Juan de Fuca, plainly saw the beacon fire lit at Finlayson Point here on Saturday evening in commemoration of the first appearance of Captain George Vancouver in the waters of the Strait off the site of the city of Victoria, 135 years ago.

Celebrating the anniversary of the night Captain Vancouver first cast anchor off the American shore at Dungeness, citizens of the United States had lighted a similar beacon at a point opposite the historic anchorage. This was visible to Victorians on Saturday night, and the local committee sent a telegram to Mr. C. F. Seale, chairman of the American celebration committee, advising him of this and conveying peace greetings.

Yesterday Mr. C. C. Pemberton, chairman of the local committee, received a letter from Mr. Seale, as follows:

"I hasten to acknowledge receipt of your telegram of 10:25 p.m., April 30, expressing peace greetings. I am intensely gratified to be advised that our large bonfire was visible from your beautiful city. Fully 1,000 people gathered about the fire, quite enthusiastic over the celebration. I might add that we plainly saw your beacon fire. Assuring you of our purest national good will. I am, your truly,

"C. F. SEALE (for the Community)."

The local committee extends its thanks for the assistance in preparing the beacon to Mr. F. V. Hobbs, chairman of the Saanich School Board; Major Wilby, and Mr. E. H. Hiscocks.

Today's Radio

Programme of Principal Broadcasting Stations

By Courtesy of Radio Doings

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (329.5m.)—8 a.m., New York stock quotations. 6:30 p.m., What's doing in town. 7:30, West Coast information service and weather forecast. 8, Stevenson's Chocolate Shop presents a special Mother's Day programme: play, entitled "Rosemary for Remembrance."

CFDC, Vancouver, B.C. (410.7m.)—6-6:30 p.m., Time signals, announcements and music. 6:30-7:30, Studio programme. 8:30-10:30, "Balkite Hour," by Radio Specialties, Limited. 10:30-11:30, Studio programme.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (361m.)—4-5 p.m., Hotel St. Francis Concert Orchestra. 6, Stanislaus Bem's Little Symphony. 6:55-7:30, News, weather, baseball, produce, grain, cotton, metals, stocks. 8, Farm programme. 8:30, Dramatized dairy centre meeting. 8:50, W.O.W. Male Trio. 9-10, National Broadcasting Co. programme.

KMTR, Hollywood, Cal. (370m.)—5 p.m., Dr. Wesley M. Barrett. 5:30, White King Male Quartette. 6, Nightly doings. 8:15-8:45, Marguerite Le Grand Trio. 8:45, Fitzgerald Music Co. programme. 7:30-10, Courtesy programme. 10-11, Miller's Dance Orchestra.

KFWB, Eureka, Cal. (254m.)—8-8:05 p.m., "Humboldt Radio Travel." 8:05-8:15, Humboldt Times news, and market reports. 8:15-8:30, Road conditions of No. Calif. 8:30-10, Sponsored studio programme. 12 midnight to 12:30 a.m., Midnight Crier.

KFI, Los Angeles, Cal. (467m.)—5:30 p.m., Cotton Club Orchestra. 6:15, Radiotorial period. 6:30, Harold Shock and his Rose Room Orchestra. 7, Original Victorians Dance Orchestra. 7:30, Talk on "Why Crime Does Not Pay." 7:45, Blues singer. 8, The Calpet Male Quartette. 9, National Broadcasting Co. programme. 10, Programme of semi-classical numbers by the Sunset Instrumental Quartette.

KDYL, Salt Lake City, Utah (247m.)—5 p.m., Orchestra music. 5:30, Organ concert. 6, Shoppers' guide. 7, Popular programme. 8:15, Direct wire broadcast. 9, Dance Orchestra. 10, Time signals.

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KOA, Denver, Colo. (322m.)—5:30 p.m., Dinner concert, Brown Palace Orchestra, Howard Tillotson, director. 6, Open-air twilight concert from Greek Theatre of Civic Centre, Denver. 7, Instrumental programme by Scheurman's Colorado Orchestra. 7:15, Symphony programme.

KPO, San Francisco, Cal. (428m.)—5:30 p.m., Children's hour by Big Brother. 6:15, Stock quotations, general information. 8:30, States Restaurant Orchestra. 7-7:30, Fairmont Hotel Concert Orchestra. 8-9, Programme by Atwater Kent Artists. 9-10, National Broadcasting Co. programme. 10-11, States Restaurant Orchestra.

KHJ, Los Angeles, Cal. (405m.)—6-6:30 p.m., KHJ Concert Trio. J. W. Leopold 6:30, Children's programme. 7:30, Scripture reading. 7:40, Dr. Mara Baumgardt. 8-10, Classical evening, featuring Samuel Fuerde, 'cello-virtuoso, and other well-known artists. 10-11, Los Angeles Railway Orchestra.

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. (268m.)—4 p.m., Hotel Mark Hopkins Concert Orchestra. 5:30, Mac and his sans. 6:35, Stage and screen and police reports. 6:30, Cecilian Trio. 7, Puss Donahoo and his orchestra. 7:45-9, Finals of San Francisco Call's piano playing contest. 9-9:15, "The Panama Canal." 9:15-10, Studio programme. 10 p.m. to midnight, Eddie Harkness' Mark Hopkins Dance Orchestra.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (238m.)—4:15 p.m., Talk to women by "Peggy." 4:30, Piggly Wiggly Concert Orchestra. 6, Request period by Clarence and Doris. 6:15, Piggly Wiggly Concert Orchestra. 7, Texas Cowboys in old time dance music. 7:30, Long Beach Municipal Band. 8, "The Woman and the Law." 8:15, Long Beach Municipal Band. 9, Studio programme. 10, Fred Roger's Hawaiian Trio. 11 p.m. to 13 midnight, Pacific Coast Club Orchestra.

KJR, Seattle, Wash. (384m.)—5:40 p.m., Closing quotations. 6, Time signals, incidental news items. 6:10, Theatrical attractions at theatres. 6:30, Sport news; baseball scores. 6:30, Pig'n Whistle Duo. 7, Camlin Hotel Orchestra. 8, Studio programme. 10, Time signals.

KFWI, San Francisco, Cal. (536m.)—5:30-6, Theatrical programme and places of amusement. 6-7, De Luxe Trio programme. 7, Latest sports news by Geo. T. Davis. 7:10, Reports from N.Y. Institute of Financial Research. 7:13, Police reports by S.F. Police Department. 8-9, Studio programme. 9-10, KFWI Hawaiian hour. 10, U.S. Weather Bureau reports. 10:02 p.m. to 12 midnight, Dance programme.

KLX, Oakland, Cal. (508m.)—5:30-6:30 p.m., Children's hour, Brother Bob. 6:30-7, Dinner concert. 7-7:30, News Broadcast. 8-9, Educational programme. 9-10, Special programme.

KFWB, Hollywood, Cal. (232m.)—5 p.m., Vacation days with music. 5:15, Children's period by Big Brother. 6, Dinner hour concert. 7, Thirty minutes of Sunshine, C. W. Hamp. 7:30, Warner Bros. Orchestra. 7:45, Daily news items. 8, Programme featuring concert orchestra and soloists. 9, Popular numbers, Hawaiian Trio. 10-11, Rainbow Hour. 10 p.m. to midnight, Henry Halstead and his orchestra.

KEX, Portland (447m.)—5:15 p.m., Postman Bill's children's programme. 6, Time signals. 6:6:15, Markets and news items. 6:30-7:30, Dinner music by KEX Trio. 7:30-8, The Webfoot Crier. 11 p.m. to 12 midnight, The Midnight Review.

KFQZ, Hollywood, (226m.)—6 p.m., Panatrope dinner hour. 7, Sylvia Harding Trio; Florence Purdy. 8, Hawaiian Trio. 9-11, Dance orchestra and soloists.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (302.8m.)—5-5:45 p.m., Fairyland hour. 5:15-5:45, Twilight hour. 6:45-7:30, Shopping hour. 8-10, Instrumental Trio.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491m.)—6 p.m., Concert orchestra with soloist. 7-8, Concert trio with soloists. 8, Concert. 9-10, National Broadcasting Company. 10-10:30, Bridge game.

KGA, Spokane, Wash. (241m.)—5:45-6 p.m., Stock quotations. 6, Time signals, weather forecast. 8-10, Studio programme.

KYA, San Francisco, Cal. (309.8m.)—5:30-8:30 p.m., Golden Gate Crier. 6:30-7:30, Concert Trio. 8, Programme. 10-11, Clift Hotel Dance Orchestra.

KNX, Los Angeles, Cal. (337m.)—4:15 p.m., Joyce Coad. 5:30, Howard Clark. 6:45, The Town Crier. 6, Biltmore Hotel Orchestra. 6:30, Ysic Radio Battery Orchestra. 7, Birkel Music Co. 7:30, Jupiter Cales Co. 8:30, Feature programme. 10, Biltmore Hotel Orchestra. 11, Cocoanut Grove Orchestra.

KFOA, Seattle, Wash. (454m.)—4:30-5 p.m., News items and weather report. 6-7, Harper-Mazee Kolster-Quartette. 7-8, Hugh Baird's Ford-o'-Crat Entertainers. 8, Maxwell House Coffee Orchestra and soloists. 8-10, National Broadcasting Co. programme. 10-11, Peerless Motor Tour.

KGEF, Los Angeles, Cal. (517m.)—6-6:45 p.m., Dorothy Spencer's children's hour. 6:45-7:45, O. D. Conrey's Bible class. 7:45-8:30, The Trinity Ensemble. 8:30-8:30, Bob Shuler's question hour. 9:30-10, Bernice Morrison Brubaker, concert pianist.

KOMO, Seattle, Wash. (300m.)—7:30 p.m., Stewart Warner Radio Distributors. 8, National Farm Radio Council Talk. 8:15, Totem Concert Orchestra. 8:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 9, Choral and dramatic programme. 10, Totem Concert Orchestra. 10:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 11, Annihoots Novelty Orchestra. 13 midnight, Popular songs, Billy Emerick. 12:15-2:30 a.m., Fisher Flouring Mills Co., Totem PopularTrio, Richardson Bros.

KFUS, Oakland, Cal. (384m.)—10 a.m., The hour of Christian Ministry.

KMO, Tacoma, Wash. (250m.)—10-11 a.m., Town Crier. 2-3:30 p.m., Musical programme. 8-11, Olympia Night.

KFWM, Oakland, Cal. (226m.)—2-3 p.m., Piano solo, Ruth Morgan.

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MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

More Than 410,000 Tons Of Shipping Handled at Victoria Port During April

A TOTAL of 410,938 tons of deep-sea shipping was handled at this port during last month, according to figures made public yesterday by Mr. Roger Pinneo, of the city's industrial department. This tonnage represents a total of 296 ships of four different nations, and is an increase of twenty-two vessels over the month of March. Of the vessels docking inwards, those of United States registry headed the list, there being ninety-three arrivals. Canadian ships took second place with sixty-three arrivals reported.

On the outward list United States vessels also took the lead. A total of seventy-two U.S. vessels cleared from this port. Canadian ships were second with fifty-four departures.

These figures do not include the numerous Canadian and American coastwise vessels operating between Victoria and Vancouver, Seattle, California and Alaska.

The following is the statistical report showing the number of vessels docking inwards and outwards, with their registry, ports of call and tonnage:

INWARD

	Net Tonnage
61 Canadian vessels, from U.S.	25,397
1 Canadian vessel, from Belgium	2,400
1 Canadian vessel, from Japan	3,525
90 United States vessels, from U.S.	88,126
1 United States vessel, from China	3,450
1 United States vessel, from Japan	28,338
2 Japanese vessels, from Japan	12,299
2 United Kingdom vessels, from U.S.	12,172
3 United Kingdom vessels, from China	19,325
Total of 163 vessels	205,030

CLEARED OUTWARD

	Net Tonnage
52 Canadian vessels, for U.S.	56,507
1 Canadian vessel, for Japan	8,863
69 United States vessels, for U.S.	71,075
2 United States vessels, for Orient	18,932
1 United States vessel, for Australia	10,733
2 Japanese vessels, for U.S.	12,299
2 Japanese vessels, for Japan	9,550
3 United Kingdom vessels for Japan	18,929
Total of 132 vessels	205,908

Total ships, 296. Total net tons, 410,938.

Fire on Matson Liner

OAKLAND, Cal., May 3.—Fire starting in the first officers' cabin aboard the Matson liner Enterprise, docked at Alameda today, caused $1,500 damage to the superstructure and severely burned First Officer J. P. Burns, of San Francisco.

To Extend Welcome

MONTREAL, May 3.—Headed by the first Premier of Alberta, Hon. Dr. A. C. Rutherford, a deputation arrived here today to extend an official welcome to the officers and crew of the liner Albertic, named after Canada's Western Province.

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The "Imperial" leaves Vancouver at 9:00 p.m. daily for Calgary, Winnipeg and Montreal. The "Toronto Express" leaves Vancouver at 8:30 a.m. daily for Calgary, Winnipeg and Toronto. Both trains carry Standard and Tourist Sleepers, also Compartment Observation Cars. The "Imperial" and "Toronto Express" make connection at Calgary for Edmonton. There is also a through Standard Sleeper from Vancouver to Chicago operated on the "Imperial." The Coast-Kootenay train leaves Vancouver at 7:30 p.m. for Okanagan and Kootenay points, carrying through Standard Sleeper to Nelson. For further information phone 1270 or 121, or call at the City Ticket Office, 1102 Government Street, or the Wharf Ticket Office.

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Canadian Australasian Liner Has 3,500 Tons of Cargo and Large List—To Take Footballers

With 3,500 tons of cargo and a large passenger list, the Canadian-Australasian R.M.S. Niagara will leave this port tonight for the Antipodes. The ship is due at the Outer Wharves at 5:30 p.m., and will sail about two hours later.

Among the passengers who will board the liner at Victoria will be the members of the Canadian all-star soccer team, which is to make a tour of New Zealand. Alderman J. Adam, of this city, who is managing the team, will be accompanied by his wife. In addition to the footballers several other passengers will join the ship here.

The Niagara will take on about seventy-five tons of freight and a large amount of mail.

Shipping Information

TIDES AT VICTORIA

MAY

Date	Time H.M.	Ht Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht Ft.	Time H.M.	Ht Ft.
1	1:59	8.7	9:14	2.0	15:54	7.4	20:58	5.3
2	2:26	8.9	9:58	1.2	17:14	7.5	21:42	6.5
3	2:50	9.0	10:40	0.9	19:21	7.6	22:32	7.2
4	2:08	8.9	11:26	0.8	20:54	8.0	23:26	7.7
5	3:17	8.8	12:14	0.9	22:10	8.2		
6	0:23	8.1	2:24	8.8	13:04	1.2	23:03	8.5
7	2:21	8.2	2:32	6.2	13:55	1.8	23:43	8.6
8					14:45	2.4		
9	0:12	8.5		8.4		6.4	15:25	2.1
10	0:34	8.4	6:20	5.9	8:29	5.9	18:25	2.8
11	0:47	8.2	8:21	5.4	11:18	5.8	17:18	4.4
12	0:41	8.1	8:10	4.8	12:51	5.8	18:06	5.0
13	0:54	8.1	8:21	4.1	14:18	8.0	18:58	5.5
14	1:09	2.2	8:40	2.5	15:46	8.3	19:43	2.0
15	1:28	8.2	8:01	2.8	17:12	8.8	20:10	2.4
16	1:39	8.2	8:28	2.2		8.9		8.9
17	1:44	8.5	8:58	1.7		7.2		7.2
18	1:39	8.7	10:22	1.2				
19	1:52	8.9	11:12	1.1				
20	2:21	9.0	11:56	1.0				
21	3:02	8.9	12:40	1.1		8.2		8.2
22	3:51	8.8	12:26	1.4	23:30	8.0		
23	2:21	7.8	4:48	8.0	14:14	1.8	22:57	8.0
24	3:54	7.1	5:49	7.2	15:03	2.5	23:02	8.1
25	5:02	2.2	8:48	8.4	15:54	2.3	22:18	8.3
26	8:01	5.1	11:02	8.2	18:48	4.2	22:38	8.5
27	8:48	2.9	12:41	8.3	17:44	5.1		
28	0:06	8.7	7:32	3.7	14:11	8.6	18:41	5.8
29	0:38	8.0	8:14	1.8	18:24	7.0	19:38	8.8
20	1:05	9.2	8:58	0.8	17:51	7.5	20:27	7.2
31	1:21	9.4	9:38	0.2	16:59	7.9	21:18	7.7

The time used is Pacific standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the dry dock at any tide, add 18.9 ft. to the height of high water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

MAY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of May, 1927

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	4 55	7 25	17	4 31	7 47
2	4 52	7 26	18	4 30	7 48
3	4 51	7 28	19	4 29	7 49
4	4 50	7 29	20	4 27	7 51
5	4 48	7 30	21	4 26	7 52
6	4 47	7 32	22	4 25	7 54
7	4 45	7 33	23	4 24	7 55
8	4 44	7 34	24	4 23	7 57
9	4 42	7 36	25	4 22	7 58
10	4 41	7 37	26	4 21	7 59
11	4 40	7 38	27	4 21	8 00
12	4 39	7 40	28	4 20	8 01
13	4 37	7 41	29	4 19	8 02
14	4 36	7 43	30	4 18	8 03
15	4 34	7 44	31	4 17	8 04
16	4 33	7 45			

The tugboat Topaz is at Yarrows marine railway undergoing an extensive overhaul. She will be there for several days.

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Youthful Energy for Canadian Farmlands

Ranging in age from fourteen to eighteen years this party of sturdy boys recently arrived in Canada, on board the Anchor-Donaldson liner Athenia, to take up farming. They all hail from Scotland and are keenly enthusiastic to take up their new life on the land. Prior to being placed on farms they were entertained at the hostel for boys maintained by the British Immigration and Colonization Association.

Talthybius Leaves With Capacity Load

Loaded to capacity with flour, wheat and foodstuffs for China and Japan, the Blue Funnel liner Talthybius cleared port yesterday afternoon about 3 o'clock. The ship, in addition to her heavy cargo, carried a large list of steerage passengers and an extra heavy shipment of mail. At Victoria she picked up thirty passengers, 550 bags of mail and a small amount of freight.

CANADIAN NATIONAL EARNINGS INCREASE

Gross Takings for March Show Rise of $1,128,000 Over Corresponding Period of Last Year

MONTREAL, May 3.—Increases of $1,128,292.43, or 5.13 per cent, in gross earnings, and $71,680.53, or 1.66 per cent, in net earnings, are shown by the operating summary for the Canadian National Railways during the month of March, 1927, as compared with March of last year. Working expenses during the period increased by $1,056,611.90, or 5.97 per cent, and the operating ratio for the month was 81.05 per cent, as against 80.40 per cent in March, 1926.

For the first three months of the present calendar year, gross earnings of the Canadian National system are shown to be $62,512,461.00, an increase of $3,465,355.62, or 5.87 per cent, over the earnings for the corresponding period of 1926. During the period, working expenses increased by $3,087,034.39, or 5.98 per cent, to a total of $54,668,829.64, while net earnings for the three months were $7,843,631.36, an increase of $378,321.23, or 5.07 per cent, over those for the first three months of last year. The operating ratio for the first three months of 1927 was 87.45 per cent, against 87.36 per cent in the similar period of 1926.

The summary of earnings and expenses follow:

March—	1927	1926	Increase	Per Cent
Gross Earnings	$23,137,167.00	$22,008,874.57	$1,128,292.43	5.13
Net Earnings	4,385,025.24	4,313,354.81	71,680.53	1.66
Operating Expenses	18,752,131.66	17,695,519.76	1,056,611.90	5.97
Operating Ratio	81.05%	80.40%		
Three Months—	**1927**	**1926**	**Increase**	**Per Cent**
Gross Earnings	$62,512,461.00	$59,047,105.38	$3,465,355.62	5.87
Operating Expenses	54,668,829.64	51,581,795.25	2,087,034.39	5.96
Net Earnings	7,843,631.26	7,465,310.13	387,321.22	5.07
Operating Ratio	87.45%	87.26%		

Shipping Notes

With considerable general cargo, including a large amount of fruit, the C.G.M.M. freighter Canadian Observer docked at Ogden Point last night about 9 o'clock from California ports. After unloading here she left for Vancouver about midnight.

The crack C.P.R. liners Princess Kathleen and Princess Marguerite will be docked in the old Esquimalt drydock next week to undergo overhaul in preparation for the commencement of their Summer schedule on May 15.

Latest advices from the O.S.K. liner Africa Maru state she will make port Saturday night from the Orient, one day behind schedule. She is carrying eighty-seven passengers for Victoria and 100 tons of general cargo.

Canadian Cruiser and Submarines to Be Sold

HALIFAX, May 3.—Tenders are being called by the Dominion Salvage Office for the purchase of H.M.C.S. Aurora, cruiser, and two submarines, Nos. 14 and 15, formerly a part of the Canadian Navy. The cruiser and submarines have been laid up at the dockyard here some years. Tenders close on May 30.

Kingsley Due Today

The coastal freighter E. D. Kingsley, of the Kingsley Navigation Company, is due here this morning from San Francisco with general cargo. After discharging here she will clear for Vancouver.

Develops Engine Trouble

The C.P.R. steamer Princess Patricia, plying between Vancouver and Nanaimo, developed trouble in her port engine Monday and will be off her regular run until repairs are completed.

C.P.R. SCOW BREAKS AWAY FROM KYOQUET

During the heavy southeast storm of Monday morning the C.P.R. barge, No. 8, plying between Vancouver and Ladysmith, broke away from the tugboat Kyoquet and drifted onto the rocks in Portier Pass. After some time the Kyoquet succeeded in pulling the scow off and towed her to Vancouver, where a survey of the damage, understood to be slight, will be made.

NOT VERY PROMISING

She was a very busy woman and found it most disturbing and irritating when one day she was bitten by a dog.

But, despite her accident, she carried on bravely with the work in her department. Then a fresh trouble arose—people in the same business kept worrying her with senseless questions.

"Fancy, were you bitten by a mad dog?"

"Yes, I was."

"And yet you're working here just the same. Writing your will, I suppose?"

"No," snapped the injured woman; "I'm making a list of the people I'll bite if I do go mad."

"I wonder what time this train will get to Stockholm?"

"So do I! At present it is running to Gothenburg!"—Kasper, Stockholm.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Overcast; southwest; 30.00; 47; heavy swell.

PACHENA—Cloudy, south, fresh; 29.97; 48; heavy swell.

CARMANAH—Rain, showers; southwest; 29.90; smooth.

CAPE BEALE—Overcast; rain, squalls; south; 29.90; heavy swell.

ALERT BAY—Rain, calm, 29.88, 46; smooth.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m. unless Otherwise stated)

PRINCESS MARY—At Ucluelet, 4.20 p.m., southbound.

CANADIAN FARMER—Ocean Falls to San Pedro, 954 miles from San Pedro.

KUROHIME MARU—Vancouver to Yokohama, 51 04 north, 138 20 west.

CANADIAN COASTER—Ocean Falls to Nanaimo, 80 miles from Ocean Falls.

CAPE SCOTT—Weatherbound, Rough Bay.

TENDER GRAY—Rose Harbor to Nanaimo, 400 miles from Victoria.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, May 2.—Arrived: Missourian, Georgian, Northland, Culburra, Corrales, Port Angeles, San Francisco; Horace Baxter, Long Beach; Elsegundo, Richmond. Sailed: Multnomah, Tanana, Port Angeles; Wanderer, Stanwood, Tacoma; Griffco, B.C. ports.

CORDOVA, May 2.—Sailed: Northwestern, southbound.

PORTLAND, May 3.—Arrived: Newport, Richmond; Admiral Sebree, Stockton, Los Angeles; Port Armstrong, Galveston. Sailed: Ms. Boobyalla, Montepellier; R. H. Hanna, Indiana Harbor, San Francisco; Holbrook, Dairen.

TACOMA, May 2.—Arrived: Munrio, New York; Wenderer, London. Sailed: Lena Luckenbach, President Pierce, Seattle; Point Reyes, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 2.—Arrived: Columbia, Boston; Nome City, Claremont, Betterton, San Pedro; Matsonia, Honolulu; Admiral Schley, Portland; Point Bonita, New Orleans; Emma Alexander, Notre Dame De Fourviere, Robert Luckenbach, Seattle; Zenon, Vancouver; London Shipper, Astoria. Sailed: Utacarbon, San Pedro; Claremont, Grays Harbor; Oaxaca, Mazatlan; H. F. Alexander, Seattle; Admiral Dewey, Portland.

Arrived

NEW YORK, May 3.—Eurania, Suportco, Axtell Byles, San Pedro.

HAMBURG, May 1.—Bridgepool, San Francisco. May 1, Osiris, San Pedro.

SHANGHAI, May 1.—Forresbank, San Francisco. May 2, Bordeaux Maru, San Pedro.

YOKOHAMA, April 30.—Hakutatsu Maru, Portland; Meiyo Maru, Seattle.

PHILADELPHIA, May 1.—Katrina Luckenbach, Seattle.

MARSEILLES, April 27.—Cellina, Seattle.

HONG KONG, April 30.—Elkridge, San Francisco.

AVONMOUTH, May 2.—Steel Exporter, San Francisco.

SHANGHAI, May 2.—Japanese Prince, San Pedro.

MACASSAR, May 2.—Silver Fir, San Francisco.

Sailed

ROTTERDAM, May 2.—Gaasterdijk, San Francisco.

BALTIMORE, May 3.—Franklin K. Lane, San Pedro.

NEW YORK, May 3.—West Cape, San Francisco.

SHANGHAI, May 1.—Challenger, Seattle.
DAIREN, May 1.—City of Spokane, Seattle.
TIENTSIN, May 2.—Wawalona, Portland.

PANAMA CANAL, May 2.—Milwaukee Bridge, San Francisco; Hanley, Sutermco, Crampton Anderson, San Pedro; Arkansas, Vancouver, B.C.

C.G.M.M. POSITIONS

CANADIAN HIGHLANDER—Discharging, Avonmouth, thence Liverpool; sails May 6.

CANADIAN IMPORTER—At Union Bay, sails April 28.

CANADIAN BEAVER—En route from San Pedro to Kingston and British West Indies ports; arrives May 2.

CANADIAN RANGER—En route from Newport News to Halifax and St. Lawrence ports; arrives Montreal May 8.

CANADIAN SPINNER—En route Panama to Vancouver; arrives April 29.

CANADIAN TRANSPORTER—En route Panama to Vancouver; arrives May 1.

CANADIAN WINNER—En route Panama to Quebec; arrives May 8.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

LOCH GOIL—From United Kingdom, May 2.
AFRICA MARU—From Orient, May 6.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—From Orient, May 8.
PRESIDENT TAFT—From Japan, May 9.
TOKIWA MARU—From Orient, May 18.

To Sail

ARIZONA MARU—For Orient, May 3.
TALTHYBIUS—For Orient, May 3.
IYO MARU—For Orient, May 18.
PRESIDENT PIERCE—For Orient, May 18.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

MAY, 1927

CHINA AND JAPAN

TALTHYBIUS—Mails close May 2, 12 noon. Due at Yokohama, May 18.

ARIZONA MARU—Mails close May 5, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, May 20.

PRESIDENT PIERCE—Mails close May 10, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, May 22; Shanghai, May 26; Hong Kong, May 29.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close May 19, 8 p.m. Due at Yokohama, May 30; Shanghai, June 2; Hong Kong, June 8.

PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close May 24, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, June 5; Shanghai, June 8; Hong Kong, June 12.

LONDON MARU (from Vancouver)—Mails close June 1, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama, June 17.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

NIAGARA—Mails close May 4, 8 p.m. Due at Auckland, May 23; Sydney, May 28.

SONOMA (Fiji and Australia only)—Mails close May 9, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, June 3.

MAKURA—Mails close May 15, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington, June 8; Sydney, June 11.

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AORANGI—Mails close, June 1, 8 p.m. Due at Auckland, June 20; Sydney, June 25.

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For further information apply E. & N. Ticket Office, phone 1594, or District Passenger Office, phone 1270.

Salvagers Raise Dredge Sunk in Klondike River

DAWSON, May 3.—Salvage crews which commenced the work, on March 25, of raising the Burrall & Baird Company Dredge No. 4 from the point in the Klondike River, one mile above Bear Creek, where it sank in May, 1924, yesterday completed their operations. The value of the salvaged craft is estimated at $125,000. At the time of its construction in 1912 it was said to have been the largest dredge ever built for mining work. Low temperatures this Spring, which held back the usual flood waters, were an important asset to the salvage workers.

Niagara to Take Canadians' Gift To Australians

With the Niagara, which sails from here tonight, will go a gift from the Canadian people; one maple tree and six maple saplings, which will be planted at the new Australian capital, Canberra, by the Canadian Government representative, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, to commemorate the Diamond Jubilee of Canadian Confederation.

The saplings and tree are products of British Columbia and were selected by Mr. J. Hosie, Provincial Librarian, and Alderman Frank Woodside, chairman of the Vancouver Diamond Jubilee Celebration Committee, in consultation with the Department of Agriculture of the British Columbia University. Special arrangements have been made to assure the gift being in good shape at the end of the long trip to Australia.

C.P.R. President Expected to Be Here This Month

Mr. E. W. Beatty, K.C., president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, is due to reach Vancouver about May 14, on a periodical visit. General Panet, of Montreal, is expected to accompany the president to the Coast.

Plumbing Suggested as Career for Aristocrats

LONDON, May 2.—Plumbing as a career is recommended to members of the British aristocracy by Arthur Weigall, noted Egyptologist, who points to the new fad of having expensively-fitted bathrooms even in the smallest houses. There is no better-paying business today, he declares.

Weigall was formerly inspector of general antiquities to the Egyptian Government and keeps up with the times by following modern plumbing. Women in particular, he contends, appear to take five or six times as many baths a week as they did a few years ago.

There is no limit to the decorative ingenuities which might be injected into the plumbing business, he believes.

NORTHERN LIGHT SAILS SATURDAY

Repairs to Auxiliary Schooner Yacht Near Completion at Yarrows Plant—Will Be Away Until October

SHIP IS RENDEZVOUS FOR BOYS AND GIRLS

The minor repairs and adjustments to the auxiliary schooner yacht Northern Light, which is to carry the John Borden-Field Museum Alaska-Arctic Expedition into the Bering Sea and Arctic Ocean, are rapidly nearing completion at Yarrows Limited, and Captain John Borden expects to be able to get away Saturday morning.

Questioned yesterday on board his yacht, Captain Borden said he expected to be away until October. Calls on the way up North would be made at Ketchikan, Juneau and Nome. Asked whether he would call at Victoria on his way back, Captain Borden replied that he was not sure, but that he would like to do so.

"It is possible," Captain Borden said, "that we ship the collection of specimens we gather by way of Seattle to Chicago when we return. In that case we may put into Victoria. Nothing, however, is definite," he concluded.

Every afternoon since she has been in port Boy Scouts, Cubs, Girl Guides and Brownies have flocked to the ship from almost every district, and have been shown over the craft. Yesterday, despite the stormy weather, a large number went down to the vessel and were taken over it by the Sea Scouts.

Loads Fir Piles

MAPLE POINT, May 3.—The freighter Horace X. Baxter arrived here today to load a cargo of fir piles. After completing, the vessel cleared for Seattle.

SUMMER SCHEDULE TO GULF ISLANDS

The steamer Charmer leaves Victoria every Tuesday and Friday at 8 a.m.; and leaves Vancouver Mondays and Thursdays at 8 a.m., Sundays and Wednesdays 9 a.m., and Saturdays 1:30 p.m.

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MILL RATE IS TO BE CONSTANT

COURTENAY WILL RETAIN FIGURE AT TWENTY-FIVE MILLS

School Rate Absorbs More Than Three-Fifths of Total—New Sub-Station Necessary

COURTENAY, May 3.—Thanks to the determined efforts of the City Council, the 1927 mill rate will be kept down to the same level as that of last year. Twenty-five mills was the rate set at last night's council meeting. This was only possible by the closest co-operation between the finance and public works committees. When it is remembered that, owing to the necessity of a new high school building the school rate has jumped to 16¼ mills, the ratepayers may congratulate themselves in the possession of a council which is able to keep the rate at a stable figure.

This desirable condition, however, was not arrived at without very careful consideration and paring of estimated expenditures, both in the public works and other departments.

The 1927 rate is made up as follows: School rate, 16¼; water rate, 1¾; general rate, 7. Total rate, 25 mills.

The by-laws recently passed by plebiscite received their third reading and were finally adopted.

The sale of the bond issues in connection with debentures covering both the high school and electrical extension by-laws was left in the hands of the Mayor and city clerk, who will probably call for tenders.

Alderman Macdonald pointed out that the passing of the electric by-law means that work on the new line and substation will have to be taken in hand immediately. He proposed that the electric department be charged with the purchase price of the lot at the rear of the City Hall for this purpose and that the public works department attend to the necessary clearing and fencing. He drew attention to the serious outside competition for the local ice and ice cream trade and proposed that the local Creamery Association be granted an industrial electrical power rate which would enable them to meet this competition. After a good deal of discussion, and with the view to protecting local industry, a special rate was set which would enable the farmers' organization to meet this outside competition. The industrial rate will be applied to the creamery as from May 1.

MR. JAMES GREIG BEREAVED BY PASSING OF WIFE

DUNCAN, May 3.—The death took place at the family residence here this morning of Fanny Catherine Greig, wife of Mr. James Greig, city clerk, at the age of sixty-five years. The deceased was born in England and came to Canada with her husband and family some twenty years ago, and has been a resident of Duncan for the past sixteen years. She is survived by her husband and four children, Mr. E. H. Greig, of Royston; Mr. H. J. Greig, of Duncan; Mrs. A. S. Steward, of Victoria, and Miss Ethel Greig at home. She was a woman beloved by her family and by all who came in contact with her, and much sympathy goes out to the family in their bereavement. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon from the family residence to St. Peter's Church, Quamichan, Mr. R. H. Whidden has charge of the funeral arrangements.

The funeral took place at St. Peter's Church, Quamichan, this afternoon of Mrs. Annie Isabella Palmer, wife of Mr. C. G. Palmer, of Quamichan Lake. She passed away on Sunday night, May 1, at the King's Daughters' Hospital here.

Cowichan Bay News

COWICHAN BAY, May 3.—Captain Fred Ordano returned to the Bay this afternoon, after spending the week-end in Victoria with friends and relations.

The tugs Swell, Daring and Superior left the Bay with large tows of logs.

Trucks are busy hauling gravel from the Bay, getting ready for the Tarvia, which will make a wonderful improvement on the roads in this district.

Mr. E. H. Edwards, Mr. R. C. Wilson and Mr. S. M. Griggs motored from Woodland, Cal., and were guests at Cowichan Bay Inn.

WINS CHALLENGE CUP

Miss Frances Smith, secretary-stenographer to Capt. G. R. Bates, president of the B.C. Certified Seed Potato Growers' Association, at the executive office, Courtenay, has won the Challenge Cup in a competition open to all typists in the Comox district.

Children Practice Self Help in Order To Buy Library

METCHOSIN, May 3.—On Friday at 8 o'clock an entertainment will be given by permission of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Helgesen, at their home, Sherwood, Quarantine Road, by some of the children of the district in order to raise funds for a school library. The entertainment will take the form of short plays, including a scene from "Alice in Wonderland," in which Mrs. W. Griffiths has assisted Miss Minho in training the children, and nursery rhymes by the infants, with Mrs. F. A. Pearce assisting. Supper and dancing will follow.

CONVENTION DREW MANY TO ISLAND

Strong Delegations Gathered at Ganges on Saturday—Hon. S. F. Tolmie Renews Acquaintances

The response made to the call for the nomination convention by the Conservatives of The Islands, which was held at Ganges, Salt Spring Island, on Saturday, was a very gratifying one as far as the association was concerned and also of confidence in the sitting member, Colonel C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O. Many of these delegates came from very considerable distances, traveling by launch and in some instances by roundabout ways to get to the meeting place.

The official delegates were as follows:

Sidney—Messrs. A. W. Bawden, F. Hoidridge, O. Scearin, A. Harvey, H. L. Ricketts, F. A. Thornley, S. M. Carter, J. Baxter, F. King, G. Heal, S. Brethour, F. Bowcott, F. R. Graves.

Deep Cove—Messrs. H. C. Layard, F. K. Herchmer, E. S. Wise and A. Calvert.

Ganges — Major F. C. Turner, D.S.O., and Messrs. Ed. Walter, J. C. Lang, W. A. McAffee, A. B. Cartwright, A. J. Smith.

South Salt Spring Island—Messrs. J. J. Shaw and A. J. Eaton.

Pender Island—Messrs. Spencer Percival, J. S. Stigings and J. M. Clague.

Galiano—Messrs. A. E. Scoones, W. Miller Higgs and Paul Scoones.

Saturna Island—Mr. H. J. L. Campbell.

Gabriola North—Mr. R. Easthom.

Gabriola South—Mr. W. N. Shaw.

Mayne Island—Messrs. F. Robson and George Maude.

James Island—Mr. J. Thompson.

In addition to the officially elected delegates there were a number in attendance over and above the delegations allowed under the constitution to represent the different sections of the riding. Among those was Major A. R. Layard, of Deep Cove, as well as a number from Ganges itself where the convention was held.

The convention afforded the opportunity for Hon. S. F. Tolmie, leader of the party for the Province, to meet the people of the islands and renew the acquaintances that he had formed with many of them in years gone by. He referred to the fact that among his earliest recollections were the pleasant times spent on Salt Spring Island when he had from time to time visited it and been present at the very worthy Fall Fair that was held at Ganges.

He said that he had made warm friendships then and he was pleased to have the opportunity of renewing these on this occasion. Of late years he had not had the privilege of visiting the island as often as he would have liked to do it, and the chance that was given him in coming and meeting them with an old friend like Colonel Peck was a double pleasure.

Sidney News

SIDNEY, May 3.—On Wednesday two members of the Canadian Club, Victoria, will come to Sidney for the purpose of putting before the people the ideals of the club. The Auditorium has been secured for the evening, and besides the short talks by the Canadian Club members, a short programme is being arranged. Miss Adeline Crossley, who is becoming a local favorite, will sing and Mr. P. Barlow will render vocal selections. Mr. J. F. Simister will give one of his selected readings.

The monthly meeting of the Allies Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be held on Thursday, May 5, in the St. Augustine Hall, Deep Cove, at 3 o'clock.

Sale of Plants

COBBLE HILL, May 3.—A successful sale of plants and flowers was held yesterday at the beautiful home of Mrs. W. D. Turner, Cherry Point, which she kindly lent for the occasion. The sale was held by the Sir Clive Phillips-Wolley Chapter, I.O.D.E., and was attended by more than fifty people. Mrs. Turner entertained all the visitors to tea, after which Mr. R. M. Palmer, who kindly officiated as auctioneer, took charge of the proceedings. Bidding was brisk and it is understood that well over $40 was taken before the lateness of the hour brought business to a close.

Sooke Branch

SOOKE, May 3.—The Sooke branch of the Canadian Legion of the British Empire Service League will hold its monthly meeting at the clubroom on Wednesday at eight o'clock. Final arrangements will be made for the Arion Club concert, which will be held on Friday.

"How old are you, my lad?"
"Thirteen."
"What do you think you will become?"
"Fourteen!"—Kasper, Stockholm.

Both Killed When Atlantic Plane Wrecked

Commander Noel Davis and his alternate pilot, Lieut. Stanton H. Wooster, were killed in Virginia on their last test flight before shipping their plane to New York, where they were to enter the New York-Paris non-stop flight for a $25,000 prize. The machine was a biplane with three engines and was named "The American Legion." Picture shows Davis and Wooster in the cabin of the plane, Davis being to the left. Above is a view of "The American Legion."

SHEEP DEMONSTRATION WILL BE HELD SHORTLY

Qualicum District Farmer's Institute Planning for Educational Feature

QUALICUM BEACH, May 3.—The Qualicum District Farmers' Institute held its monthly meeting on Monday. The road engineer had reported that Fern Road had been inspected while in its worst condition and that when the weather conditions warranted he would put it in good order.

The Board of Agriculture has decided to hold meetings in this district on May 10 of the sheep promotion committee, to meet the members of the Flockmasters' Association, and the speakers will consist of Dr. Knight, livestock commissioner; Messrs. T. P. Mackenzie, grazing commissioner; A. Morton, Dominion sheep and swine promoter, and C. E. Whitney-Griffiths, secretary, advisory board of Farmers' Institutes. It is proposed to hold an afternoon meeting on a farm, in a central position and sheep will be needed for the experts to demonstrate. The evening meeting will be held in the regular meeting place of the Farmers' Institute, Qualicum Beach, when Mr. C. E. Whitney-Griffiths will speak on legislative work, while Dr. Knight will speak on livestock and sheep diseases.

The secretary was asked to purchase nitrate of soda and members will be able to buy any quantity at the lowest price.

A grant of $5 was made towards the local school sports to be held at Parksville on May 24.

It was also decided to hold monthly competitions among members in vegetables, etc., in season. At the June meeting lettuce, onions and radishes will be shown and points awarded. At the end of the season prizes will be given to those holding the highest number of points.

Silver Tea Held At Meadowbrook For Metchosin Church

METCHOSIN, May 3.—The silver tea held by Miss Milne at her home Meadowbank, on Saturday afternoon, was most successful, and between thirty and forty dollars will be handed to the churchwardens in aid of church funds. Tea was served by Mrs. Milne. Miss Milne, assisted by Mesdames Howard and Jordan, did a flourishing trade in plants, all of which had been grown by Miss Milne during the past year. Mrs. F. Reid served the ice cream, which had been made by Mrs. Young. The archery competition was in the hands of Mr. Young, and proved a great attraction.

Mrs. Idiens Passes

COURTENAY, May 2.—The funeral of Mrs. William Idiens, who passed away at the home of her son, Mr. Joseph Idiens, at Royston, on Saturday, took place from the Sutton Funeral Parlors on Monday afternoon. Numerous cars formed the cortege to the Anglican Cemetery at Sandwick, where the interment was made. Messrs. J. and H. Idiens were chief mourners. Mr. John Idiens, from Victoria, was also present. A large number of floral offerings were sent. The late Mrs. Idiens was a native of Stratford-on-Avon, England. She has lived in the Comox district many years, and leaves numerous relatives to morun her passing. The remains were borne to their last resting place by Messrs. J. H. MacIntyre, G. H. Ashe, C. Idiens, C. C. Piercy, F. Brock and G. Endall.

Concert at Sooke

SOOKE, May 2.—A successful concert and dance was held under the auspices of the Holy Trinity Church Guild on Friday evening. The programme rendered by Metchosin and Sooke talent was as follows: Pianoforte solo, Mrs. Troya; solo, Mrs. Syrett; quintette, Mrs. Stacey, Mrs. Buckley, Miss Eden, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Stacey; solo, Mr. Page; violin solo, Mr. Cartwright; solo, Mr. Stacey; duet, Mrs. Syrett and Mr. Page; duet, Mr. and Mrs. Stacey; solo, Mrs. Pierce. The accompanists were Mrs. Troya, Mrs. J. C. Cooke, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Kitching. Dancing followed.

North Saanich Social Club

NORTH SAANICH, May 3.—The North Saanich Social Club held its regular weekly card party and social evening in the clubrooms, School Crossroads, on Saturday night. There was a good attendance of members and their friends, who spent an enjoyable time at progressive five hundred, which was played at twelve tables. The ladies' first prize was presented to Miss Nesta Carter, and the men's to Capt. Wilson. At the conclusion of the game the supper committee served the refreshments, and the remainder of the evening was spent in dancing, the music being rendered by the club's six-piece orchestra.

German Author Chief Actor in His Own Play

BERLIN, May 2. — Wilhelm von Scholz, widely-known German author and playwright, is making something of a theatrical sensation by appearing as chief character in one of his own plays—his first essay in public as an actor.

The playwright hasn't said whether he wrote the play with the intention of appearing in it himself, but it is evident he thought the part of leading man would fit him better than it would any available star. Thus it is that Herr von Scholz, whose standing in the literary world is of such eminence that he is president of the newly founded Academy of Literature, has been appearing nightly in one of the high-grade theatres of Berlin as "Doctor Martin," author, in an artistic drama entitled "A Race With a Shadow."

Critics praise the play as a work of much merit and charm. The general opinion seems to be, however, that Herr von Scholz is a better playwright than actor. The well-known actress, Kaethe Haack, is playing the role opposite him.

Would-Be Valentinos Victims of Swindlers

FLORENCE, Italy, May 2.—Aspirations to fame have cost a number of young Italians several hundred thousand lire, according to police, who have arrested four directors of an allegedly fraudulent motion picture school. One of those arrested is said to be Count Montalbano.

One aspirant, Luigi Malano, is said to have paid 67,000 lire before he discovered that the school was doing nothing to launch him in the film world. The police assert that the directors of the enterprise have practised systematic frauds over a long period, victimizing students from rich families from whom they collected large sums, supposedly for arranging trials by large film companies in the United States.

Lecture at Langford

LANGFORD, May 3.—The Forestry Branch will give a free motion picture show next Friday evening in the Women's Institute Hall on Dunford Road, on "Fire Prevention." Children are especially invited.

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1 BIRTHS

BURNS—On the 1st inst., at Miss Tidbury's Nursing Home, 1219 Vancouver Street, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Burns (nee Ivy Puller), 615 Elliott Street, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

PALMER—On Sunday, the 1st of May, at the King's Daughters' Hospital, Duncan, B.C., there died Annie Isabella Palmer, in the sixty-eighth year of her age, the beloved wife of Charles O. Palmer, of Quamichan Lake, near Duncan.

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RAGS, bottles, sacks, old clothes, junk, etc.; basements cleaned. Phone 5076L.

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We Buy Junk
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A SUNNY ROOM TO RENT; HOUSEKEEPing privileges if desired; or breakfast and supper. Phone 5762Y.

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TWO LARGE ROOMS, WELL FURNISHED, garage, board optional; private family. Phone 7267R.

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48 ROOM AND BOARD WANTED

GOOD PLAIN BOARD AND ROOM, IN very quiet place, by lady, alone. Box 6568, Colonist.

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AT 731 VANCOUVER ST.—RENOVATED throughout, nice housekeeping rooms, from $3.50 per week.

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54 FLATS AND APARTMENTS WANTED

FURNISHED FLAT OR SMALL HOUSE, with two bedrooms, for two months, May and June. Oak Bay preferred. Phone 2582R.

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A 4-ROOM FURNISHED HOUSE, WITH piano, fully modern, near High School, rent moderate. Phone 2165R.

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1411 Haultain, 8 rooms, 3 bedrooms	25.00
1435 Vancouver, 8 rooms, 3 bedrooms	35.00
1034 Rockland, 7 rooms, 4 bedrooms	30.00
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OFF OAK BAY AVENUE, SEVEN-ROOMED residence, hot water heating system, hardwood floors, garage, immediate possession, $40 per month. H. G. Dalby & Co., Ltd., 634 View, opp. Spencer's.

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ARRESTED RUSSIANS ARRIVE AT PEKING

Mme. Borodin and Other Prisoners Awaiting Trial—Documents Prove Charges, Chinese Police Say

LONDON, May 3.—The Peking correspondent of The Westminster Gazette reports that Mme. Borodin and other Russians under arrest for alleged conspiracy against the Northern Government of China, have arrived there under strong guard and military escort. They were taken to police headquarters to await trial.

At police headquarters it was said, the correspondent adds, that the documents seized on the Soviet steamer Pamiat Lenina at the time Mme. Borodin was arrested, furnished absolute proof of the accused's complicity in plots against the Chinese Government.

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FLAPPER BILL GIVES FIVE MILLIONS VOTE

New British Legislation to Enfranchise Great Number—Women Annoyed by Flippant Description

LONDON, May 3.—Well over five million more women will be enfranchised by the Government's bill giving women the vote at twenty-one years of age. Replying to questions in the House today, Sir William Joynson-Hicks, Home Secretary, estimated that 2,650,000 women between twenty-five and thirty and 1,590,000 women between twenty-one and twenty-five years would be enfranchised.

The Home Secretary did not reply to Ernest Thurtle, Shoreditch, who asked him to "discourage his supporters from describing the proposed additional voters as 'flappers.'"

That the expression "flapper vote" still rankles was apparent at the annual meeting of the council of the Women's National Liberal Federation at Blackpool today. Mrs. Wintringham, who was Independent Liberal member of the House of Commons for Louth, 1921-24, championed the modern girl, warmly demanding, "What about the male flapper?"

$5,000 PAYMENT TO MR. GAUTHIER MADE FROM PARTY FUNDS

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proval of Mr. Paterson. Senator Bostock agreed to write the letter and hand it over to Gauthier. Witness saw Gauthier in the Chateau Laurier, during his visit to Ottawa. Commissions and orders were not discussed. "It is ridiculous. I never signed an arrangement or an agreement with Gauthier," said witness when questioned on this section of the affidavit.

The next time he met Gauthier was in Stewart's office in Vancouver on his return from the Old Country, when he complained of the treatment he received from Mr. Paterson and witness told him to take it up with Paterson.

RIDICULES CLAIM

Regarding Gauthier's statement that Mr. Buckham told him he had sent in his resignation as a member of the House to witness, Dr. Sutherland remarked:

"It is ridiculous. As a member Mr. Buckham would know he would not send his resignation to me anyway.

Questioned regarding Mr. Buckham's interest, witness said he gathered the impression that his sole interest was to help a friend.

"If Buckham would look after Buckham more instead of his friends he would better off," witness commented.

Dr. Sutherland said he asked Senator Bostock to write the letter and then left Ottawa on March 3. The letter which Gauthier secured from Senator Bostock, said Dr. Sutherland, was dated March 5, in answer to the accusation that he met Gauthier and talked commissions with him after Gauthier had received the letter.

Dr. Sutherland, under cross-examination by Mr. Twigg, was asked if he had been in Ottawa recently.

"Yes," he replied. "I was in Ottawa appearing before the railway committee of the House of Commons."

SEES SENATOR BOSTOCK

"While there, did you see Senator Bostock?"

"I had lunch with him."

"Did you show him a copy of Gauthier's credential?"

"No, I did not have it."

Mr. Twigg: "Did you discuss the Gauthier matter at all?"

"He asked about it. I told him that as far as I was concerned I had nothing to fear. He said he wasn't worrying about it, either."

Mr. Pattullo asked witness if General Odlum was at the Chateau Laurier in 1923 at "the time it is alleged you entered into an agreement with Mr. Gauthier."

"I did not see him. I don't know whether I even knew him at that time."

"Was Harry Gale there?"

"I never saw him. Several men came up and spoke to me."

"You were actually on the train coming West at the time that Gauthier says that the agreement was made?"

"Yes."

MR. JAMES PATERSON

James Paterson, purchasing agent, identified memorandums relating to ten thousand cases of liquor. In cross-examination by H. D. Twigg he refused to describe them as orders. The yellow copies as issued to Gauthier were sufficient to secure the agency. The original was not sent to the distillers and would not be until Gauthier had complied with witness' requirements. He took this special course to accommodate a friend.

"Who was the friend?" asked Mr. Twigg.

"Mr. Buckham," replied witness.

"And Dr. Sutherland?" queried Mr. Twigg. "No," replied witness.

"It was political?" suggested Mr. Twigg. "No. It was not political," said witness.

Witness proceeded that he declined to complete the order because of Gauthier's activities. It came to his knowledge that Gauthier was representing that he was authorized to act for witness and complaints were received from distillers and agents. He confirmed the order subject to requirements and conditions to be forwarded in a cable sent on March 13, 1923, but as a result of the information regarding Gauthier he subsequently received he cancelled the order in April, and on his visit to the Old Country he repudiated Mr. Gauthier and his credentials.

NEVER SAW CREDENTIALS

"Did you see his credentials?" asked Mr. Twigg. "No," said witness.

"And you repudiated them without seeing them?"

"I repudiated them as far as Mr. Gauthier acting for me was concerned," replied Mr. Paterson.

"I have no power to delegate my authority to anybody," Mr. Paterson added.

Mr. Twigg, estimating the value of the whisky at $300,000, asked why Mr. Paterson should give orders to a man whom he did not know at that time for so large an amount. Mr. Paterson repeated that it was not an order, but merely a memorandum, indicating that such a quantity might be needed.

"Then you are trifling with Mr. Buckham?"

"No; the goods were subject to be ordered if all my requirements were met with."

Mr. Twigg asked Mr. Paterson if Gauthier had not threatened witness with a damage action and had been paid $5,000 by W. T. McArthur not to proceed.

Mr. Paterson said he knew nothing about it. He was not interested and did not ask for an explanation from McArthur. If McArthur had asked witness he would have advised him against paying it.

NEVER PAID MONEY

"The money did not come out of your pocket?" asked Mr. Twigg.

"It certainly did not," said Mr. Paterson with emphasis.

"Did Mr. Buckham advise you to settle with Gauthier?"

"No."

"Did you ever see him about it?"

"No."

Mr. Paterson was questioned in detail on orders placed for the brands of liquor for which Gauthier sought the agency, and then asked Mr. Paterson to later secure for him the information as to how much of these brands was on the shelves, and what amount was in stock at the time each order was placed. He questioned Mr. Paterson closely on the size of orders placed as compared with the amount on the shelves, but Mr. Paterson maintained at the rate the brands were selling the size of his orders were justified.

DIFFERENT

On a cold night in Winter a man sat huddled over a meagre fire. His pipe had burnt out and he had read through the newspaper. Suddenly he sat up still, turned half round and yelled in a voice of thunder:

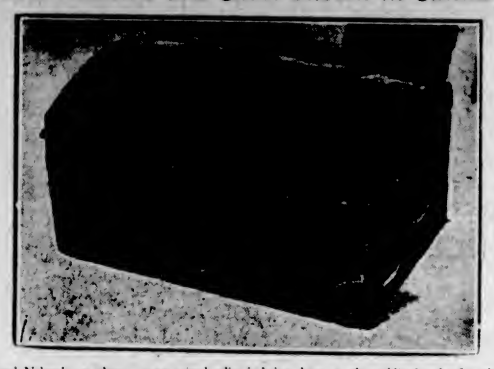
"Shut that confounded kitchen door! Are you mad? Shut that door, you loon, or——"

But a person had walked into the room. It was the cook. In a stern voice she addressed the angry man:

"D'ye know who you're spakin' to, sorr?"

"Oh, I beg your pardon, Bridget!" he stammered in a crushed way. "I thought it was my wife."

Lord Nelson's Sea Chest Shown in Canada



Lord Nelson's sea chest, a most prized relic, is being shown to the public for the first time in Canada at the new headquarters of the Navy League at Toronto. The trunk is built of solid oak and covered with leather. Its corners are reinforced with sturdy iron plates and a multitude of now tarnished brass topped nails hold the leather in place. Across the centre of the old-fashioned, curved top of the lid brass nails as lime marked as the rest form the name "Ld. Nelson."

Vancouver Island Egg-Laying Contest

YEAR 4—REPORT FOR WEEK NO. 26.
ENDING MAY 1, 1927
(Conducted by the Dominion Experimental Station, Sidney, B.C.)

Pen	Owner	Breed	Week Eggs	Total Eggs	Total Points
1.	A. Adams	W.L.	53	807	763.6
2.	R. E. Ault	W.L.	51	1,098	1,107.9
3.	W. Bradley	W.L.	50	1,131	1,071.9
4.	J. C. Butterfield	W.L.	56	1,368	*1,363.4
5.	J. J. Dougan	W.L.	56	1,085	1,157.6
6.	W. L. Douglas	W.L.	54	1,024	908.2
7.	A. D. Drummond	W.L.	53	1,065	1,012.1
8.	A. Georgeson	W.L.	43	891	845.7
9.	C. G. Golding	W.L.	58	950	934.6
10.	W. J. Gunn	W.L.	59	1,069	1,007.2
11.	Miss E. Gwynne	W.L.	59	874	836.7
12.	T. H. Hayward	W.L.	61	1,136	986.0
13.	W. T. Hurst	W.L.	60	1,092	1,140.3
14.	A. V. Lang	W.L.	56	880	869.0
15.	R. Mackenzie	W.L.	50	806	804.8
16.	A. D. McLean	W.L.	51	1,073	1,000.4
17.	Balas & O'Farrell	W.L.	56	1,103	1,048.6
18.	N. E. Flaxton	W.L.	59	789	806.8
19.	W. Robbins	W.L.	56	918	924.8
30.	R. T. Vyvyan	W.L.	53	1,158	1,176.6
31.	J. Burgess	R.I.R.	42	1,179	1,177.4
32.	H. C. Cooke	R.I.R.	50	838	894.3
33.	H. D. Reid	R.I.R.	57	853	860.3
34.	H. Scott	R.I.R.	49	1,009	1,031.8
35.	L. Chaplin	B.R.	39	1,064	1,090.3
36.	Expt. Fm, Arassiz	B.R.	59	995	934.2
37.	Expt. Sta., Lethbge	B.R.	62	1,225	1,093.7
38.	C. G. Golding	B.R.	47	984	1,070.5
39.	M. S. Stephens	B.R.	60	895	863.4
30.	W. Bradley	W.W.	54	1,184	1,179.1
31.	H. H. H. Cunningham	W.W.	50	1,069	971.4
33.	R. B. Jeffery	W.W.	50	1,097	1,131.0
33.	P. G. Stebbings	W.W.	43	905	957.7
34.	Expt. Sta., Sidney	W.W.	49	857	784.2
				1,831 34,381	33,718.7

Remarks—Please address all correspondence to the Superintendent, Experimental Station, Saanichton, B.C.
*Leading pen. Week's production, 76.8.

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Twenty rails, 131.01, off .04.

There was no gainsaying the fact that the lady was inclined to be rather stout, and so she decided to see a beauty specialist.

The latter explained that there was still plenty of hope, and after prescribing a certain diet told her client to call again in a month's time.

At the end of the month the woman called again. This time she was bigger tha never.

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Finance and Commerce

STOCKS RESUME UPWARD MARCH

EASIER MONEY RATES ENABLE MARKET TO OVERCOME SELLING SQUALLS

General Motors Climbs Back to Record Price—Colorado Fuel Touches Highest Point in Quarter Century

NEW YORK, May 3.—The stock market moved upward again today under the stimulus of easier money rates. Selling squalls swept through the market now and then, but with few exceptions offerings were well absorbed. Finals disclosed a long list of advances. General Motors was the individual feature, moving up 3¾ points to duplicate the record high of 198¼ for the present stock.

Call money opened at 4½ today and then dropped to 4 per cent. There was no change in time money and commercial paper rates.

In the rails, Chesapeake & Ohio closed four points higher at 171⅞, after attaining a new peak for the year at 172¾. New York Central, Delaware & Hudson, Lackawanna, Katy common, Norfolk & Western showed gains of one-half to three points.

Colorado Fuel was again a sensational performer, soaring seven points to 87, the highest price in twenty-five years. International Silver soared 8½ to 166.

Demand centred in low-priced issues in the bond market, and although the volume of trading was relatively small, prices held firm in reflection of continued easy money conditions. While a few soft spots cropped out, there were several substantial gains, and the establishment of a few new highs for the year or longer.

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	103-4	103	103-4
Allied Chemical	139	137-4	138-4
Amerada Corpn.	33	38	28
Am. Beet Sugar	19-2	19-2	19-2
Am. Bosch Mag.	15	15	15
Am. Can.	47-5	47	47-3
Am. Car & Fdy.	100-4	100-4	100-4
Am. Locomotive	109	109	109
Am. Smelters	147-4	147	147
Am. Steel Fdy.	43	42	43
Am. Sugar	88-7	88-7	88-7
Am. Sum. Tob.	54-7	54-7	54-7
Am. Tel. & Tel.	164-4	163-6	164-4
Am. Tobacco	127-4	137-4	137-4
Am. Tobacco "B"	129-7	139	129-7
Am. Woolens	19-5	19-4	18-4
Anaconda	45-7	45-5	45-5
Armour "A"	9-7	9-7	9-7
Atlantic Gulf	34	34	34
Atchison	182-5	181-5	183-4
Baldwin Loco	189-2	154-4	157-1
Baltimore & Ohio	119-3	117-4	118-3
Bethlehem Steel	50	49-5	49-5
Brooklyn Manhat	65	64-4	64-4
California Packing	66-2	66-3	66-3
California Pete	24-7	24-2	24-2
Canadian Pacific	180	179-6	180
Central Leather	10-2	10-2	10-3
Cerro De Pasco	61-6	60-8	61-6
Chandler pfd.	34	24	34
Chesapeake & Ohio	171-4	168	171-4
Chic. Gt. Western	31-3	18-6	19-5
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	15-4	15	15
Chic. & Northwest	81-6	81-3	81-6
Chic. R. I. & Pac.	98-6	97-6	98-6
Chrysler Motor	43-4	43-1	43-2
Coca Cola	104-6	103-4	104-3
Colo. Fuel & Iron	86-6	81	86
Columbia Gas	91-6	91	91-1
Cons. Gas	98	98-4	99
Cont. Can.	64-3	64-3	64-3
Cont. Oil	17-4	17-4	17-4
Cont. Motor	11-6	11-5	11-5
Corn Products	59-4	59	59-1
Crucible Steel	84	84	84
Cuba Am. Sugar	33	23	33
Davison Chem.	37-3	27-2	27-3
Del. Lack. & West	163-4	163-4	163-4
Dodge Bros.	19	19	19
Dupont Powder	345-6	341	344
Elec. Power	18-3	18-3	19-3
Erie	53-6	53-3	52-6
Famous Players	107-7	107-4	107-4
Foundation Co.	81-6	81-6	51-6
Freeport, Texas	64-5	63-6	64-4
General Asphalt	75	75	75
General Cigar	78-3	77	78-3
General Electric	97-3	96-4	96-6
General Motors	196-1	193	196
Goodrich Rubber	56-4	55-5	56-4
Granby	38-4	38-3	38-3
Great North. Ore	19-4	19-4	19-4
Great North. pfd.	86-4	36-3	86-4
Gt. West Sus.	113	113	113
Gulf States Steel	53-4	53-4	53-4
Houston Oil	118-7	117	115
Howe Sound	38-3	38	35
Hudson Motor	75-1	73-6	74-4
Hupp Motors	30	10-5	30
Illinois Central	135-3	125-2	125-2
Imperial Oil	44	44	44
Inspiration	18-3	18-3	18-3
Int. Comb. Eng.	52-3	50-4	51-7
Int. Harvester	164-2	160-3	164-3
Int. Pete	30-4	30-3	30-3
Int. Mer. Marine	7-3	7-3	7-3
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	43	41-3	41-3
Int. Nickel	58-2	56	58
Int. Tel. & Tel.	134	134	134
Kan. City South	58-5	58	58-5
Kennecott Copper	64-2	63-6	64-3
Lehigh Valley	130-5	130-5	130-5
Louisiana Oil	12-4	13-4	13-4
Louis. & Nash	137-2	137-2	137-2
Mack Truck	111-6	111	111-3
Manhatten Elec.	69	69	69
Mariand Oil	38	38-5	38-5
Miami	15-7	15-7	15-7
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	30	29-7	30
Miss. Pacific	55	53-2	54-7
Miss. Pac. pfd.	104-7	103-5	104-6
Montana Power	97-4	97	97-4
Montgomery Ward	66-4	86-3	86-3
Moon Motor	8-4	8-4	8-4
Motor Meter	37	36-5	37
Motor Wheel	34-3	34-3	24-3
Nash Motors	60-7	60-7	60-7
National Biscuit	118-5	117	117-3
Natl. Cash Reg.	43	43	43
Natl. Dairy Prod.	79-7	78-4	79-4
National Lead	193-6	192-8	192-6
Norfolk & West	177-4	177	177
North American	48-3	47-5	48-2
Northern Pacific	85-3	85	85-1
N.Y. Central	148-4	147	148-2
N.Y., Ont. & West	29	26-6	29
N.Y., N.H. & Hart	50-4	50	50
Packard Motor	34-6	34-6	34-6
Pan American	58	58	58
Pan American "B"	58-3	57-2	57-6
Pennsylvania R.R.	60-7	60-7	60-7
Pere Marquette	118-4	118-4	118-4
Phillips Pete	41-7	41	41
Pierce Arrow	16-3	15-7	16-3
Producers & Ref.	31	29-1	29-1
Pullman Co.	178	178	178
Pure Oil	26-7	26-7	26-7
Radio	43-1	43	43-1
Ray Cons.	15	15	15
Reading	112-2	111-4	111-6
Rep. Iron & Steel	64	64	64
Royal Dutch	48-7	48-7	48-7
Savage Arms	82-1	82-1	82-1
Schulte	54	53	53-6
Sears Roebuck	54-3	54-3	54-3
Shell Union	27-2	37	37-1
Sinclair Cons.	17-3	16-6	16-6
Southern Pacific	113-3	113	113-3
Southern Railway	122-3	122-3	122-3
Standard Gas	56-1	56-1	56-1
Standard Oil, Cal.	53-3	53	53-3
Standard Oil, N.J.	35-4	35-4	35-4
Standard Oil, N.Y.	30-3	30-3	30-3
Standard Oil, Ind.	65-2	65-2	65-2
Stewart Warner	63	62-3	62-3
St. Louis & S. Fran.	112-7	113	112-7
Stromberg Carb.	37	37	37
Studebaker	53-5	52-7	53-5
Tennessee Copper	11-6	11-5	11-5
Texas Co.	48-3	48-4	48-5
Texas Gulf Sulphur	61	60-4	60-4
Texas Pacific R.R.	75-3	75-3	75-3
Texas Pac. C. & O.	13-3	12-3	12-3
Timken Roller	94-3	81-3	93-3
Tobacco Prod.	96-3	96	96
Tobacco Prod. "A"	112-4	112-4	112-4
Union Oil of Calif.	43-7	43-1	43-2
Union Pacific	173	173	172
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	227	225	226
U.S. Ind. Alco	76	75	75-3
U.S. Rubber	57-6	57-1	57-3
U.S. Steel	166-7	165-4	166-2
Universal Pipe	31	31	31
Vanadium	46-6	46-6	46-6
Victor Talk. Mach.	39-3	38-5	39-3
Wabash	67-4	66-3	67-4
Western Pacific	37-3	35-5	35-6
Westing. Air Brake	150-4	149-5	150-4
Westing. Elec.	73-4	73-4	73-4
White Motor	47	46-5	47
Willys-Overland	20-3	19-7	19-7
Woolworth	141	138-3	140-4
Worth. Pump	29-7	29-7	29-7
Y'ngston Sh. & Tu.	86-5	86-5	86-5
Yel. Tr'k & Coach	29-3	28-4	28-4

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 3.—Foreign exchanges steady. Quotations in cents.
France—3.91⅝; cables 3.91 13-16.
Italy—5.38; cables 5.26½.
Belgium—13.90.
Germany—23.68½.
Holland—39.36.
Norway—25.83.
Sweden—26.73½.
Denmark—26.57.
Switzerland—19.22.
Spain—17.68.
Greece—1.33⅛.
Czecho-Slovakia—2.96.
Jugo-Slavia—1.76.
Austria—.1412½.
Rumania—.64.
Argentina—43.43.
Brazil—11.81¼.
Tokio—47.62½.
Shanghai—62.00.
Montreal—100.14 1-16.

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, May 3.—Demand 485½; cables 485 29-32; 60-day bills on banks 482 1-16.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 483¾; selling 486¼.

NEW YORK CURB

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

INDUSTRIALS

	Bid	Asked
Centrifugal	.13½	.13¾
Checker Cab.	.03½	.08
Durant Del.	.10⅛	.10¼
Mesabi	.73	.80
Stutz	.14	.15
Reo	.24	.24½
Tob. Prod. Ex.	.03¼	.03½
Un. Profit Shar.	.11½	.13
Un. Retail Candy	.06¼	.06⅝
Cities Serv. Com.	.46⅝	.47
Cities Serv. Pfd.	.90	.90¼
Cities Serv. Bkrs.	.23½	.36
Am. Gas. El.	.80¼	.81¼
Lehigh Pow. Secs.	.18½	.18¾
OILS		
Carib.	.15⅝	.18
Glenrock	.04	.04¼
Int. Pete	.30¼	.30½
Marl. Mex.	.01	.01¼
Mexico Oil	.15	.17
Cont'l Oil	.17¼	.17⅝
Pennock Oil	.09½	.10
Ryan Cons.	.04½	.06
Sapulpa	.10	1.50
Salt Cr. Prod.	.27⅝	.27¾
Salt Cr. Cons.	.06¼	.06⅝
Wilcox	.31½	.23
Conley Tinfoil	.10⅝	.11
Mount. Prod.	.23⅛	.23⅝
MINES		
Ariz. Globe	.06	.06
Butte & W.	.06	.10
Cal. Jerome	.05	.07
Cons. Copper	.03	.03¼
Cresson	.02	.02½
Delores	.43	.50
Eureka	.04	.05
Hecla	.13¼	.13¾
Hollinger	.30½	.31
J. V. Devel	.30	.50
Kerr Lake	.70	.74
Mason Valley	.01¼	.01½
Nipissing	.06⅝	.06⅞
Ohio Copper	.47	.51
Teck Hughes	.07	.07¼
Un. Eastern	.25	.45
Un. Verde Ex.	.23	.36

Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.80	
Dunwell Mines	1.53	1.53
Glacier Creek	.10	.13
Gladstone (Ex-D.)		.28
Goldsmith	.18¾	.31
Gleaner		.35
Granby	38.00	40.00
Howe Sound	35.50	40.00
Independence Gold	.09½	.11
Indian Mines		.08
International Coal	.21	
L. & L. Glacier	.09½	.11
Lakeview	.02	.02¾
Leadsmith	.05	.06¾
Lucky Jim	.30	.23
Marmot Metals		.15
National Silver (O.B.)		.34
Porter-Idaho	.18	.18
Premier Gold	2.05	3.10
Richmond	.18½	.21
Rufus	.09	.10¼
Russell Creek		.30
Ruth Hope	.23	.35½
Selkirks		.03
Silverado		.35
Silver Crest	.06½	.07
Silversmith	.33	.35
Sunloch	.60	.75
Terminus		.11½
Cork Province	.06	.09½
OILS		
B.C. Montana	.00 1-18	.00 3-16
MISCELLANEOUS		
B.C. Permanent Loan	113.00	118.00
B.C. Electric, P. & G.	103.50	104.50
LOCAL CURB STOCKS		
Coast Copper	13.00	14.00
Slocan King	.14	.15½
George Copper	.75	1.00

SALES

1,000 Cork Province at .09; 3,000 Independence at .10; 3,000 at .10; 500 Porter-Idaho at .18; 1,350 at .16; 1,000 Richmond at .18; 5,000 at .19; 3,000 Rufus at .09¼; 1,000 at .09¼; 350 Silversmith at .34½; 5,000 Slocan King at .14¾; 350 George Copper at .80; 100 at .82; 100 Goldsmith at .21; 100 Dunwell at 1.53; 50 at 1.53; 75,000 B.C. Montana at .00⅛.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co. by direct private wire)

	Bid	Asked
Alberta Pacific Cons.	.11	
British Dominion		.35
Dalhousie	1.50	1.60
Illinois Alberta	.35	.39
New McDougal Segur	.75	.80
McDougal Exp.	1.15	1.35
McLeod	2.70	2.65
Moose Mountain	—	.35
Royalite		29.00
Turner Valley	.35	.35
Vulcan	3.90	3.10
Midwest	.23	
Great West	.19	

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, May 3.—Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were:

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.80	1.80
Bayview	.03	.05
Cork Province	.07¾	.08½
Dunwell	1.50	1.55
Douglas Channel	.10	
Glacier	.11	.11¾
Gladstone	.34	.36
Howe Sound	38.50	
Independence	.09½	.18
Indian Mines	.06½	.07¾
International Coal	.31½	.23
L. & L.	.10¾	.11
Lucky Jim	.20½	
Leadsmith	.05	.06
Marmot	.13½	.14½
National Silver (G.S.)	.17	
Premier	3.02	3.06
Porter-Idaho	.18½	.18
Rufus	.08	
Ruth Hope	.34	.36
Richmond	.17¼	.15
Selkirks	.01½	.02½
Silver Crest	.07	.07½
Silversmith	.32	.34
Surf	.00¼	
Terminus		.15
Victoria		.10
Coast Copper	11.00	11.25
Trojan Oil		.01
B.C. Montana	.00 1-18	.00¼
British Petroleum	.15¼	.15½
Maple Leaf	.10	.30

MORNING SALES

300 Dunwell at 1.54; 700 at 1.55; 1,000 Ruth Hope at .35; 300 Premier Gold at 3.06; 50 at 3.09; 1,000 Glacier Creek at .11; 1,000 at .11½; 500 Marmot at .13; 3,000 L. & L. at .10½; 1,000 Independence at .09¾; 500 at .09¾; 500 Cork Province at .08; 3,300 British Petroleum at .15; 1,000 at .15½; 2,000 at .15¼; 500 Lucky Jim at .20¼; 500 Bayview at .03.

AFTERNOON SALES

80 Coast Copper at 10.35; 45 at 10.50; 20 at 10.75; 1,000 L. & L. at 10¾; 1,000 at 11; 1,000 at 11¼; 2,000 Silver Crest at .07¼; 250 at .07½; 1,000 Richmond at .17½; 300 at .17¾; 250 Lucky Jim at .20¼; 100 at .21; 400 Premier at 3.03; 300 at 3.04; 100 Dunwell at 1.53; 550 at 1.53; 1,000 Glacier Creek at .10¾; 2,000 at .11¼; 1,000 National Silver at .17.

MONEY MARKETS

NEW YORK, May 3.—Call money easier; high, 4½; low, 4; ruling rate, 4½; closing bid, 4.

Time loans steady; mixed collateral, 60-90 days and 4-6 months, 4⅝ @ 4½. Prime mercantile paper, 4 @ 4¼.

WINNIPEG MARKET ADVANCES SHARPLY

Rains Throughout West Gives Grain Bullish Trend—Rye and Oats Show Strength

WINNIPEG, May 3.—Further gains in the Canadian West imparted a bullish trend to the wheat market here today, values again advancing sharply with closing gains ranging from 1⅜ to 1⅝ cents.

The opening bulge of 2⅜ cents received a setback when profit-taking liquidation developed. Buying support was fair.

Rye and oats held strong under liberal demand, while flax and barley slumped fractionally.

The recent advance on the future market tended to check cash grain.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	147⅝	148	147⅝	145⅝
July	144⅝	145⅛	144⅝	145⅛a
Oct.	132⅝	134	133⅝	133
Oats—				
May	59¼	58⅛	55⅝	59⅛
July	59	58⅛	58⅛a	58
Oct.	51⅝	51⅝	51	51⅝b
Barley—				
May	86⅝	86⅝	85	85⅛
July	83⅝	83⅝	82¼	83⅛
Oct.	69¼	69⅛	68⅞	69¼b
Flax—				
May	185⅛	195⅜	184⅞	195
July	199⅝	199⅜	195½	199¼a
Oct.	204⅝	204⅝	203¼	203⅝a
Rye—				
May	107⅝	109	107⅝a	106⅛b
July	108	109¼	107⅞	108⅝b
Oct.	97⅞	98¼	87⅞	98⅛b

CASH PRICES

Wheat—1 nor., 150⅝; 2 nor., 146¾; 3 nor., 140⅝; No. 4, 129⅝; No. 5, 118⅝; No. 6, 106⅝; feed, 94⅝; screenings, $3.

Oats—2 cw., 59⅝; 3 cw., 56⅛; extra 1 feed, 56⅛; 1 feed, 54⅛; 2 feed, 51⅝; rejected, 48⅝; track, 59⅛.

Flax—1 nwc., 195; 2 cw., 191; 3 cw., 179; rejected, 174; track, 195.

Barley—3 cw., 85⅛; 4 cw., 80⅝; rejected, 79⅛; feed, 77⅛; track, 85⅛.

Rye—2 cw., 108½.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Last
Abitibi	89
Asbestos	21
Asbestos pfd.	55-4
Atlantic Sugar	38
Bell Telephone	144-4
Brazilian Trac.	139-4
B.C. Fishing & Packing	79-7
Brompton Paper	33
Can. Cement com.	145-6
Can. Cement pfd.	120
Can. Car Fdy. com.	43
Can. Car Fdy. pfd.	89
Can. S.S. com.	40
Can. S.S. pfd.	91
Can. Cottons	135
Can. Converters	105
Can. Ind. Alcohol	29
Cons. M. & S.	253
Dominion Bridge	162-1
Dominion Glass	131-6
Dominion Textile	117-7
Howard Smith	60-3
Lake of Woods Milling	138
Laurentide Co.	98
Mackay Co.	118-7
Montreal Power	54-3
National Breweries	68-7
Ontario Steel	76-5
Ogilvie Milling Co.	385
Ottawa Power	101
Penmans, Ltd.	78-4
Shawinigan	57
Spanish River Pulp	69-7
Spanish River Pulp pfd.	111-3
Steel of Canada	137
Twin City Elec.	54-8
Winnipeg Elec.	85-6

TORONTO MINES

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Amulet	1.18	..
Argonaut	.43	..
Baldwin	.03½	..
Barry	.40½	..
Buckingham	.05	..
West Dome	.05	..
Dome	8.70	..
Gold Hill	.33	..
Goldale	.38	..
Hollinger	31.00	..
Lakeshore	18.00	..
McIntyre	25.75	38.00
Noranda	33.50	..
Premier	2.02	..
Teck Hughes	7.00	..
Tough Oakes	.50	..
Vickers	.45	.50
Victory	.34	..
Wright Hargreaves	12.86	..
Night Hawk	.06½	..
Beaver	1.03	..
Can. Lorrain	.36	..
Capital	.30	..
Castle	.93	..
Coniagas	4.00	..
Crown Reserve	.11½	..
Keeley	1.40	..
Lakeside	.02	..
McKinley	.16	.16½
Mill Crest	.05	..
Mining Corpn.	3.45	..
Nipissing	8.40	8.45
Caput	.12	..
Newray	.30	.34
Duprat	.10½	..
Towagmac	3.80	..
Grover Daly	.11	..
Indian	.07	.08½
Central Manitoba Mines	1.49	..
Temiskaming	.08¾	..

VICTORY AND WAR BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE		
1927, 1st June and Dec.	100.45	100.60
1933, 1st May and Nov.	104.80	105.05
1937, 1st June and Dec.	107.80	106.05
WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE		
1931, 1st April and Oct.	101.30	101.50
1937, 1st Mar and Sept.	103.38	103.60
(Payable New York)		
VICTORY LOAN, 5½%		
1927, 1st May and Nov.	100.40	100.60
1933, 1st May and Nov.	103.10	103.35
1934, 1st May and Nov.	104.00	104.18
DOMINION LOAN		
1938, 15th April and Oct., 5%	100.40	100.85
1943, 15th April and Oct., 5%	102.58	103.80
1940, 1st Mar. and Sept., 4½%	99.75	100.00
1944, 15th April and Oct., 4½%	99.75	100.00
1954, 1st Feb. and Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%		104.75

Prices subject to ¼ of 1% brokerage
Add accrued interest to date:
1927, 1937, 153 days, 3.305 per $100.
1927, 1923, 1933, 1934, 3 days, .030 per $100.
1928, 1943, 18 days, .347 per $100
1944, 18 days, .223 per $100

Stock Exchange Seat Is Sold for $199,000

NEW YORK, May 3.—Sale of a membership seat on the New York Stock Exchange today for $199,000 brought the total number of transactions to be passed upon by the board of governors next Thursday to six, with aggregate price of $1,176,000. Today's price was $3,000 over the last previous sale and only $1,000 under the record price of $200,000 established yesterday.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, May 3. — Closing wheat quotations: Spot and en route—1 Nor., 151⅝; 2 Nor., 147⅞; No. 3 Nor., 136⅞; No. 4 wheat, 126⅞; No. 5, 118⅝; No. 6, 106⅝; feed, 95⅝; screenings, $12.50 per ton.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, May 3.—Butter and cheese weak; eggs steady.
Cheese—15½-16 cents.
Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 36½ cents.
Eggs—Extras, 36 cents; firsts, 34 cents.

FOREIGN BONDS

(Supplied by R. P. Clark & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Austrian 7s, 1943	101½	101¾
French 7s, 1949	103	103¼
French 7½'s, 1941	112⅞	112⅞
French 8's, 1945	106¾	118
German 7s, 1949	107	107⅛

Winnipeg Grain Letter

WINNIPEG, May 3.—Weather conditions influenced the market today, being unfavorable with further rains throughout Western Canada. The forecast is more promising, but very little work on the land will be possible this week. Market opened from 1 to 1¼ higher with pit full of buying orders, said to be largely for speculative account. The market held well during hour, but later there was considerable realizing on account of better weather forecast and prices eased off. There was, however, fair buying of May wheat by exporters around 148, which held the market steady. The October was stronger than the May today, and on the extreme bulge was 2¼ higher, which indicated that a decreased wheat acreage is anticipated. Seaboard estimated sales in all positions close to 1,500,000 bushels, Manitobas, durums and hard Winters. Liverpool close 1⅜ to 1⅞ up, fully reflecting Winnipeg strength. Wheat deliveries today were 486,000 bushels and again passed into the hands of the pool. Chicago was strong and low temperatures over the United States Winter wheat belt forecasted being a factor. The local cash market was inclined to be quiet with buyers scarce due to strength shown in the futures. Spreads were inclined to widen on all grades. Winnipeg futures closed 1⅜ to 1⅝ up.

Coarse Grains: There was a fair trade in rye today with export business confirmed, the market closing from 1½ to 1 higher. Oats were dull, with prices holding firm. The barley market was weak, the May closing 1 lower, the heavy deliveries of 1,078,000 bushels being a factor. Oats deliveries 14,000, and rye 116,000 bushels.

Flax: Very dull, no features. Closing figures a little lower. Deliveries, 53,000 bushels.

METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, May 3.—Copper quiet; electrolytic, spot and futures, 13.00 asked.

Tin—Spot and nearby, 66.67; July, 64.62.

Iron steady; spot unchanged.
Lead easy; spot, 6.75.

Zinc easy; East St. Louis, spot and futures, 6.12 @ 6.15.

Antimony—Spot, 13.00.

At London

LONDON, May 3.—Standard copper: Spot, £54 7s 6d; futures, £55.

Electrolytic—Spot, £61 7s 6d; futures, £61 10s.

Tin—Spot, £297 2s 6d; futures, £288 17s 6d.

Lead—Spot, £25 15s; futures, £26 5s.
Zinc—Spot, £29 2s 6d; futures, £29 10s.

SILVER MARKETS

NEW YORK, May 3.—Bar silver, 56⅛; Mexican dollars, 42⅝.

At London

LONDON, May 3.—Bar silver, 25 15-16d per ounce. Money, 3⅝ per cent. Discount rates: Short and three months' bills, 3 11-16 @ 3¾ per cent.

Chicago Grain

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, May 3.—Wheat: Considerable realizing developed late in the day and there was some pressure on distant futures by local pit traders, offerings were closely absorbed at moderate reaction from the best figures of the day. Late advices indicated export sales of 1,250,000 to 1,500,000 bushels. There was some buying here also on predictions for unsettled and colder weather for our northwest, with probable frost in Kansas and Nebraska, and on additional claims that crop in the southwest is not making expected progress. Corn was affected by strength in wheat averaged slightly higher, but prices held within relatively narrow limits. Trade was fair with commission houses on both sides.

Oats were firmer with other grains and on scattered buying. Seaboard exporters said to have bought oats yesterday while there was buying of May and selling of July by cash interests.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	136⅝	139⅝	133½	139⅝
July	133¾	134⅜	133	134
Sept.	131⅛	131⅞	131	131⅝
Corn—				
May	74⅛	75⅝	74⅝	75⅝
July	80	80⅝	79⅝	80⅛
Sept.	83⅝	84¼	84⅝	84
Oats—				
May	47¼	48	47⅛	47⅝
July	47⅞	48⅛	47⅝	47⅞
Rye—				
May	110	110⅝	109⅝	110½
July	107⅝	107⅝	107⅛	107⅝

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, May 3.—The raw sugar market was unchanged today at 4.74; for Cuban, duty paid, no sales reported. No changes occurred in the refined market prices, which ranged from 6.00 to 6.20 for fine granulated, but a better withdrawal demand was reported.

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MUNICIPAL
North Vancouver .... 5%, 1962, @ 100.00
Burrard Bridge .... 6%, 1973, @ 110.20
Medicine Hat .... 5%, 1944, @ 94.
FOREIGN GOVERNMENT
Brazil .... 5%, 1913, @ Market, to yield 7.30%
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Wholesale Row

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Eggs		
Fresh Extras, doz.		.30
Fresh Firsts, doz.		.26
Pullets, Extras, doz.		.28
Butter		
Best, cartons		.48
Prints, No. 3		.45
Dairy solids		.44
Dairy prints		.43
Cheese		
B.C. large, lb.		.31
B.C. Twins, lb.		.31½
B.C. Triplets, lb.		.32
Alberta solids, lb.		.33
Alberta Stiltons, lb.		.36
Ontario solids, lb., new		.34
Ontario Twins, lb.		.34
Ontario Triplets, lb., new, .28½ matured		.36
Ontario Stiltons, Sept. make, lb.		.30
Lard		
Pure Lard—Tierces basis, per lb.		.18
Compound—Tierces basis, per lb.		.14
MEAT		
Beef, No. 1 Steers		.18½
Beef, No. 1 Cows		.17
Lamb		.31
Lard	.18	.20
Veal	.18	.22
Bacon	.36	.43
Mutton		.22
Hams	.32	.33
Chickens	.30	.41
Fowl	.26	.35
Pork		.30
SUGAR		
B.C. Refinery—		
White, per hundred		8.95
Yellow, per hundred		8.45

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.30	$44.50
Gr. Barley	2.40	46.00
Corn	2.60	50.00
Cracked Corn	2.70	52.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.70	52.00
Oats	2.40	46.00
Oats, ground	2.50	48.00
Scratch Food	2.60	48.00
Poultry Mash	3.00	58.00
Marvel Egg Mash	2.70	52.00

FLOUR

	Per Sk. 49 lbs.
Snowflake	$2.55
Purity	2.55
B. & K. Flour	2.55
Five Roses	2.55
Maple Leaf	2.55
Royal Standard	2.55
B. & K. Pastry	2.45
Whole Wheat	2.45
Quaker Flour, per bbl.	$10.25

Beets, per sack		M.P.
Beets, bunch, per doz.		M.P.
Cabbage, per lb.	.07	.08
Carrots, per sack		2.50
Carrots, bunch, per doz.		1.00
Cauliflower, doz.	2.00	2.25
Celery, imported, doz.	1.75	2.25
Lettuce, head, Cal.		4.50
Onions, Aust. Brown		5.50
Potatoes, dry belt, Gems, sack		1.50
New Potatoes		.04½
Turnips, per sack		M.P.
Turnips, bunch, per doz.		1.00
Parsnips		2.50
Asparagus, lb.		.17
Sweet Potatoes		.06
Peas, new, Geer		.18
Spinach	1.00	1.30
Cucumbers, hothouse	1.50	2.00

Fruits

Apples—		
O.K. Newton		3.00
Winesaps		3.00
Bananas, uncrated		.09
Bananas, crated		.10
Cocoanuts, per doz.		1.50
Grapefruit, Florida	8.00	9.00
Grapefruit, Cal.	5.00	5.50
Lemons, case		5.75
Oranges—Navels	5.65	6.40
Seedlings	5.05	5.36
Strawberries, Cal.		4.25

Retail Prices

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Eggs		
B.C. Firsts, Extras, doz.		.34
B.C. Firsts, doz.		.33
Pullets		.30
Vegetables		
Fresh Green Peas, per lb.		.25
Local Hothouse Tomatoes, per lb.		.40
New Potatoes, per lb.		.18
Carrots, 3 lbs. for		.25
Artichokes, Globe, each		.20
Cabbage, local, lb.		.06
Cauliflower, each	.10	.20
Celery, head		.15
Egg Plant, lb.		.18
Onions, pickling, 4 lbs. for		.25
Green Spring Onions, bunch		.18
Parsley, bunch		.05
Lettuce, per head		.10
Lettuce, hothouse, leaf, head		.06
Local Onions, 8 lbs. for		.25
Spanish Onions, 3 lbs. for		.25
Leeks, bunch		.05
Potatoes, local, per sack	1.65	1.85
Ashcroft Potatoes		2.00
Netted Gems, per sack		2.25
Potatoes, sweet, 3 lbs. for		.35
Spinach		.15
Turnips, local, 10 lbs. for		.25
Vegetable Marrow, lb.		.06
Fresh Cucumbers, each	.15 .20	.25
Nuts		
Almonds, per lb.		.35
Walnuts, per lb.		.35
California Soft Shell Walnuts, lb.		.45
Brazils, new, per lb.		.30
Roasted Peanuts, per lb.		.15
Chestnuts, lb.		.30
Local Filberts, per lb.		.30
Fruits		
Australian Grapes, per lb.		.45
Local Apples	1.75, 1.85	1.00
Bananas, doz.	.50 and	.40
Florida Grapefruit, each	.25	.35
Figs, 8 oz.		.16
Per lb.	.25	.35
Smyrna Figs		.40
Strawberries, per basket		.35
Lemons, doz.	.30, .30	.35
Dates, 2 lbs.		.35
Oranges, new, Navel, doz.	.60	.85
Blood Oranges		.85
Raisins, Spanish Cluster, pkg.	.50	.85
Cocoanuts, each		.20
Rhubarb		.15
Fish		
Bloaters, 2 lbs. for		.25
Cod, per lb.		.15
Cod, Fillets, lb.		.20
Halibut, per lb.		.25
Soles, lb.		.15
Skate, 2 lbs. for		.25
Finnan Haddies, lb.		.20
Oysters—		
Esquimalt, doz.		.60
Olympia, per pint		.85
Smelts, per lb.		.25
Salmon, red spring, per lb.		.30
Salmon, white, per lb.		.25
Crabs	.25, .30	.35
Golden Bay Fillets, per lb.		.25
Eastern Kippers, per lb.		.20
Flounders, per lb.		.10

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He bowed, and stepping to the door, opened it.

From the window he watched her enter her little blue runabout and speed down the wide avenue between the monarch trees.

Then he turned slowly away and sat down, nursing his head in his hands. The faint odor of jasmine lingered in the room. He could see her standing there still, tall, straight and accusing as an angel.

He stirred erect at old Robbins' touch on his arm. He was wanted on the telephone.

"Robbins," he sighed, as he arose, "it's hell having to live up to a reputation, isn't it?"

The old servant nodded his white head.

"If I might make so bold as to suggest it, sir," he answered, "it's more 'ell tryin' to live down to one."

Nevilles glanced at him sharply. The old man's dim eyes were gazing at him calmly, affectionately.

"I wonder," he mused, as he left the room, "if the old chap suspects me? There are times when I think so."

He went down to the telephone to answer his call. It was Jonas Haight. He wanted to know if Nevilles could meet him in Trollivor's office inside the hour. It was most important.

Nevilles considered.

"Has Trollivor turned up yet?" he asked guardedly.

"No," came the petulant voice in response. "That's it. We've got to find him."

"I don't see that we can do much," Nevilles replied. "It's up to those sleuths of yours, it seems to me."

"They're completely baffled," groaned Haight.

"Have you tried the sanatoriums?" Nevilles suggested. "Trollivor impressed me as being under some kind of nervous strain. Perhaps he's caved under."

"I was of like mind," said Haight, "but he's not in any hospital. We can't discuss the matter further over the 'phone. Will you come as soon as you can?"

Nevilles sensed fear bordering on panic in the tones.

"I'll be right down," he said, and hung up the receiver.

As he passed the library on his way to his room, Griddle stepped into the hall. He held a number of letters in his hand.

"More touches," he grimaced. "How about 'em, sir? Fresherton College begs a small subscription. The Sailors' Home at Ebbtide, Women's Rescue Society, and the Hebrew Mission, likewise the Hollywood Free Home for Consumptives wish to remind Mr. David Webster—"

"Shut up," growled Nevilles. "Why the devil do you want to bother me with these things? You've got your orders, haven't you? Give 'em each a thousand dollars, and keep them quiet for a spell."

Griddle stood staring after him. Then he rolled his eyes and tapped his forehead.

"Crazy!" he groaned. "Crazy as a loon. I knew my job was too soft to last. I really ought to go to work and figure out how many thousands he has already given away, but it's too big a job. Anyway," he muttered philosophically, as he went back to his work, "it's his own funeral. Mine'll come later, and I've a hunch it's not far off."

Haight was pacing nervously up and down the floor when, three-quarters of an hour later, Nevilles entered Trollivor's office. Nevilles walked straight over, and stood above the older man.

"Mr. Haight," he said, in cold deliberate tones, "I want to know just what your game is?"

"My game?"

Haight drew back, and his hand closed on a heavy mahogany ruler, as though he feared an attack from his questioner.

"Why have you had Trollivor spirited away?"

"My God!" panted Haight, "why should I have Trollivor spirited away? I would give ten thousand dollars this minute to be able to have him back here."

"Meaning," said Nevilles, "it's going to cost you more than that if he doesn't come?"

Haight shivered. His nervous fingers flashed out and clutched Nevilles' cleeve.

"If Trollivor isn't found today—" he said, and paused with a click in his throat.

Nevilles' eyes narrowed and his lips twisted grimly.

"So that's how it is? Trollivor has disappeared, and with him the papers pertaining to the purchase of the half-interest in the Western Oil Lands—and ten thousand dollars part-purchase price."

Haight nodded.

"And you are afraid of Turnbull?"

"Yes, damn you, I am!" cried the goaded man. "He'll think—"

"That Trollivor has absconded with the money, and that you are in collusion with him? Of course he will. Has Trollivor skipped?"

"No, no," groaned Haight.

He sank down on a chair. The hawk-like eyes had lost their old fire. There were deep purple lines beneath them. The whole bearing of the man was one of broken spirit.

Nevilles' frowning face relaxed as he gazed upon him. There is something pitiful in stark, abject fear.

"Mr. Haight," he said, leaning forward, "over the 'phone you said something about having searched the city hospitals. Have you any reason for suspecting that Trollivor's mind—that he was worrying over anything?"

"Of late he has been acting queerly," Haight admitted.

"In what way?"

"Well, for instance, he has acquired a mania for straying out late at night, as though he were searching for someone who was lost. I've been anxious; have had him followed. He haunts the tenement district like a ghost."

Nevilles smiled oddly.

"Perhaps," he suggested, "he has an enemy, and is hunting for him."

Haight shook his head.

"In that case he would go armed. No, it's not an enemy."

"No?"

Haight lifted his head with something of his old spirit.

"How much do you know of Trollivor's past life?" he asked hoarsely.

"I'm simply trying to learn something of it now," Nevilles answered. "You asked me to help you find him, didn't you?"

"Yes, yes," answered Haight quickly. "And he has an enemy; whom, I do not know. But there's a certain man whom he fears; and that man is somewhere in this city. So much Trollivor told me."

Nevilles sat silent, thinking.

"Look here," he said at length, "all we can do is to hope that Trollivor will turn up soon. I don't think he has absconded. Ten thousand dollars would scarcely be enough to tempt him to do that; report has it that he is to marry the beautiful foster-sister of the highly respectable and wealthy James Turnbull. It seems absurd to think he would deliberately run from good fortune and happiness. Turnbull himself would surely be the last to think it."

"You're wrong," cried Haight, smiting the table with his fist. "He'll be the very first to think it, and so will his sister. Haven't they angled for Trollivor, used every wile and snare—"

His mouth snapped shut. He had said far more than he had intended saying. He got up and reached for his hat.

"Perhaps Trollivor left the papers and money in the safe yonder?" Nevilles suggested.

"No," groaned Haight. "I have looked in the safe. I have the combination. We've got to find Trollivor today," he cried wildly.

"You mean we've got to find the papers and money today. You're not so particular about Trollivor, I take it?"

Haight was silent.

"It seems to me," said Nevilles, his manner suddenly changing, "that nobody gives one little damn as to the manner I have been treated in this matter. It's my money and papers that are gone. I'm the loser, as I see it. Now, what's to hinder me from turning round and demanding a few things for myself? Why shouldn't I raise a hue and cry after this defaulter, Trollivor? Hasn't he proven himself a rogue, a man utterly unfitted for the trust I imposed in him? Hasn't he?" he thundered.

"Good heavens, man, not so loud," quavered Haight.

"Why," demanded Nevilles, "did you trust Trollivor with the papers and money? Why didn't you hang on to them yourself? You are the safer of the pair, because you lack the nerve to try for a get-away."

"I wish to God I had kept them myself," wailed the demented man.

Nevilles inserted a hand in his inside breast-pocket and drew out a package. He threw it on the table in front of Haight. The older man's shaking fingers closed on it, opened it.

Before him lay the lost papers and ten one thousand dollar bills.

He gazed dully up at Nevilles.

"What does this mean?" he managed to ask.

Nevilles laughed.

"Simply that I'm still looking out for David Webster's interests," he replied. "This will save you from Turnbull's wrath, I think. I believe that's all you ask, unless," he added, "you still desire I should find Trollivor?"

He walked to the door. Haight was crouched against the table, fingers gripped on the money. He looked up, his face working with maniacal fury.

"Damn Trollivor!" he gnashed. "As for you," he cried, anger sweeping him in furious gusts, "you'll get what's coming to you in good time."

The door opened and closed. But Nevilles' cynical laugh still rang in Haight's ears as he tottered to the 'phone and asked Central for Turnbull's number.

(To Be Continued)

Heart Palpitation Dizzy, Sinking Spells

Mrs. M. A. Gagnon, Donatville, Alta., writes:—"Some time ago I was very nervous, could not sleep at night, often had dizzy, sinking spells and palpitation of the heart, and was so run down I could not do my housework, but just leave everything and sit down.

I spent a lot of money using medicine from the doctor, but it did not do me any good.

At last a friend told me to use MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS and after using a couple of boxes I was not the same woman. I began to feel so much better, and after a few more boxes I was in perfect health. I always recommend them to all those I know who are suffering from heart trouble."

Price 50c. a box at all druggists or dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

Dr. Barton Will Lecture in Portland

Dr. A. F. Barton, pastor of the New Thought Temple, will conduct the midweek service tonight at 8 o'clock. He will take for his subject "New Minds for Old, Mental Attitudes, Their Creation and Use."

Dr. Barton will leave on Thursday for Portland, Oregon, to deliver a series of lectures in that city. During his absence Christian D. Larson, the well-known author, will conduct the New Thought Temple services. Particulars and programme of his subjects will appear in Sunday's Colonist.

Toronto School Girl Now Merchant in Paris

MISS MARY BENDELARI

As recently as 1921 a student at Haversal College, Toronto, has since built up a shoe business in Paris, France, through which fully one-tenth of all the women's high-priced shoes bought in America are supplied.

THIRTIETH YEAR OF B.C. ELECTRIC TOLD IN MAGAZINE

Special attention is given to Victoria in the review of the thirty years of the B. C. Electric Railway's career under its present consolidation, given in the May issue of The B. C. Electric Employees' Magazine.

Mr. T. R. Myers, the company's Victoria publicity representative, has succeeded in gathering some exceptionally interesting pictures of the early days here. They are admirably reproduced in the magazine. One of the open cars on the Oak Bay route is shown. Another picture shows Oak Bay junction with a car off the track in the early nineties, and on the front cover is a picture of a car on the track at Beacon Hill.

There is also a portrait group of the twenty-four employees still in the service who were engaged in 1897, and are still employed, to whom presentation gold watches were recently given. Thirteen belong to this city, including the vice-president, Mr. A. T. Goward.

The company now serves more than half the population of British Columbia, has $7,000,000 invested in the Province, a payroll of $5,271,000 in wages and salaries annually, and 3,389 employees. It has five hydro-electric stations, and two large steam plants.

RUSSIAN STATE JEWELS HAVE TRAGIC HISTORY

Value of Gems Absolutely Fabulous, According to Account of Countess Sokoloff

Russian State jewels came under the hammer recently in London. The collection includes gems which have not only immense value, but more tragic histories than any other stones in the world. Their dazzling splendor speaks dumbly but eloquently of the glory and glittering pageantry of the Russian Court that has gone, writes Countess Nadia Sokoloff.

The total value of the jewels of the reigning house of Russia and the State jewels was absolutely fabulous. Like their unhappy owners, these jewels are widely scattered today and the fate of many of them is still unknown.

One very splendid object of the sale was the Court sword of the Emperor Paul I, its hilt and guard ablaze in diamonds. But undoubtedly the most wonderful of all was the nuptial crown, two hundred years old, worn by Russian royalty at their weddings. The crowning of the bridal pair used to be a very picturesque and important part of the Russian wedding ceremonies. This lovely crown is inset with no fewer than 600 diamonds and surmounted by a diamond cross.

Another glorious relic was an egg-shaped diamond, about an inch in length, and valued at £25,000.

Were these tiaras, pendants, swords, necklaces, bracelets, and earrings all massed today into one gorgeous assembly, and could but speak, what vicissitudes of Russian national life could they relate . . . . years of conflict, of bitter struggle, of overwhelming victories, to be followed by disaster, intrigue, plot and counterplot, courage and loyalty to the death.

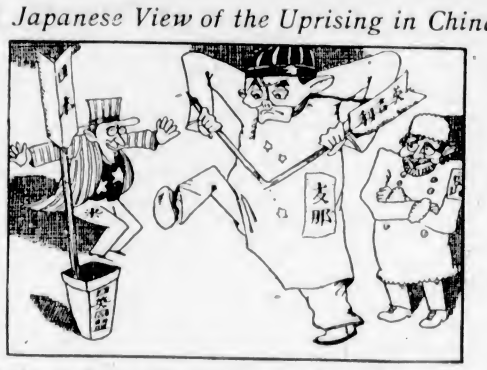
MANY MAKE HISTORY

Although used by all Sovereigns these Russian State jewels were not the personal property of a ruler but were specially made for the Russian Government, more particularly in the reigns of the two famous Empresses, Elizabeth and Catherine the Great.

Possibly the best known of the gems which became Russian property during Catherine's reign is the Orloff diamond, the wonderful yellow stone, orginally set in the top of the Russian imperial sceptre. It was taken from a Hindu idol, was carried away to Persia by the Shah Nadir, was stolen by a French soldier who fled with it to Malabar, and was ultimately sold by Shafras, an Armenian trader, in 1775, to Catherine of Russia for £90,000. The Empress was so charmed with the beauty of the jewel that she bestowed upon Shafras a pension of £4,000 for life and a title of nobility. This stone was not one of the collection for sale.

The superstitious will see something sinister in the connection between the fate of Russia's rulers and the influence of emeralds. Shortly after the Romanoff emerald came into her possession, the great Catherine was stricken down, for which reason the emerald worn by the dying Empress was called the "Emerald of Death"; and it may be a coincidence that I have seen many other superb emeralds among the collection of the late Czar and Czarina.

A Japanese View of the Uprising in China



(China is breaking the arrow of Great Britain, which has slipped from the quiver representing the Anglo-Japanese agreement. America and Russia look on. The Japanese paper remarks that if Britain's arrow had remained in the quiver, with that of Japan, it would not have been broken so easily).

—From Mainichi Shimbun (Osaka, Japan).

BABY'S OWN SOAP

Best for Baby — Best for You

Store Hours—9 A.M. to 6 P.M. Wednesday, 9 A.M. to 1 P.M.

DAVID SPENCER LIMITED

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Store News for Wednesday

Morning Shoppers

Women's and Misses' Tomboy Skirts

Large Selection and Latest Styles

Flannel Tomboy Skirts, in plain shades, gored and with patch pocket on hip, finished with loops for belt; sizes 14 to 18. Each **$2.50 and $2.95**

Tweed Tomboy Skirts, in latest novelty patterns, wrap-around styles, some with kick pleats, patch pocket on hip and finished with fancy belt; sizes 16 to 20. Each **$3.90 and $4.75**

Skirts of Gabardine and Imported Tweeds, mixtures and plaids; wrap-around style, with kick pleats and patch pocket; finished with novelty belts; sizes 16 to 20. Each **$7.90**

Silk Crepe Skirts, in accordion pleated style, finished with adjustable belt. Shades are pearl grey, sand, reseda, rose, powder blue; sizes 16 to 20. Each **$8.90**

—Mantel Dept., 1st Floor

Women's Crepe and Voile Gowns Each, 98c and $1.19

Voile Gowns with square yoke and no sleeves, trimmed with contrasting shade and shown in pretty pastel colorings. At, each ..... **98¢**

Crepe Gowns in floral designs, good quality; made with boat shape neck and no sleeves. Shades are white, peach, pink, blue and orchid. Each, **$1.19**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Back-Lace Corsets

Made of pink silk striped batiste with elastic top, long skirt and four hose supporters. Special this morning..... **$1.39**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

250 Pairs Women's Silk Hose

On Sale This Morning, a Pair **79c**

Splendid wearing hose of thread silk and fibre silk mixture, with mock fashioned leg and seamless foot. Shown in black, white, silver, pearl grey, hoggar, illusion, paloma, camel, beige, caffeo, aluminum, atmosphere and champagne. Exceptionally good value at, a pair..... **79¢**

Women's Full Fashioned Chiffon Silk Hose of beautiful quality, with pointed heels and hemmed lisle tops. Shown in many popular Spring shades. Regular $1.95 a pair, for..... **$1.00**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Colored Bordered Scrim, a Yd., 25c

Colored Bordered Scrim, 36 inches wide; fine grade and white or ivory centres with pretty border designs of rose, blue or primrose. On sale at, a yard ..... **25¢**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor

Upholstery and Curtain Fringe

A Yard for 19c

Drapery and Upholstering Fringes, including ball, tassel and fancy effects; silk and cotton. Regular values to 75c, for ..... **19¢**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor

Wash Fabrics

For Dainty Summer Frocks

Fancy Rayon Silks, in checks, plaids, stripes and plain shades, all newest colorings for Spring and Summer. Greatly underpriced, a yard..... **49¢**

Printella, a dainty wash fabric in most attractive colors for women's or children's dresses. A yard ..... **25¢**

Ginghams, plaid and check designs, in all popular shades. Big selection to choose from. A yard..... **25¢** and **35¢**

Fancy Voiles in endless variety of designs and colorings, including bordered voiles in the latest New York reproductions. Great range, priced from..... **25¢** to **$1.75**

—Wash Fabrics, Main Floor

GIRLS' PRINCESS SLIPS

Of Broadcloth and White Cotton. This Morning, Each..... **$1.00**

Colored Broadcloth Slips, with built-up shoulders. An assortment of shades; for the ages of 12 to 15 years. Priced at, each **$1.00**

Girls' White Cotton Princess Slips for the ages of 8 to 15 years; trimmed with narrow lace on frill. On sale, each, **$1.00**

—Children's 1st Floor

Girls' Flannelette Gowns 75c

White Flannelette Gowns, trimmed with pin tucks or colored stitching; have double yoke, high or V neck; sizes for the ages of 2, 3, 4 and 5 years only. Each ..... **75¢**

—Children's 1st Floor

Girls' Black Sateen Bloomers 50c

Girls' Black Sateen Bloomers, with elastic at waist and knee; for the ages of 4 to 11 years. At, a pair ..... **50¢**

—Children's 1st Floor

Men's Sports or Outing Shirts

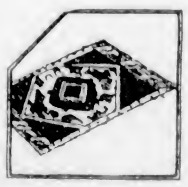
Of Delhi Flannel, $1.95

Sports or Outing Shirts of the Delhi Flannel, the best substitute for real flannel. For Spring wear, and made with collar attached, one pocket with buttoned flap; smart check design. Sizes 14½ to 16½. Regular value $2.75. On sale this morning, each **$1.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Seamless Axminster Rugs

6 ft. x 9 ft.—On Sale for **$26.50**



Axminster Rugs in attractive designs. One-piece rugs of excellent grade. On sale this morning at, each **$26.50**

—Carpets, 2nd Floor

Men's Negligee Shirts

Value $2.00, for $1.49

Men's Negligee Shirts of high-grade percales, fast colors; new stripes in blue shades; sizes 14 to 15½. Also Broadcloth Shirts in plain colors and white; sizes 16½ and 17½. On sale, each **$1.49**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Scotch Madras on Sale a Yard, 39c

Good Grade Scotch Madras, 36 inches wide; plain or with bordered edges. Extra special value this morning, a yard, **39¢**

—Drapery, 2nd Floor

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Three Bargains This Morning

Men's Natural Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, with long sleeves and ankle length. A garment ..... **50¢**

Men's White Mesh Shirts and Drawers, with short sleeves and short legs; all sizes. A garment..... **65¢**

Men's White Naincheck Combinations, Athletic style; no buttons. At, a suit ..... **85¢**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

"MISS VICTORIA" WILL RECEIVE LOVELY GOWN

His Worship Mayor Pendray to Present Special Awards to Winners of Beauty Contest Tonight

This evening, at 9 o'clock, Mayor Pendray will officiate at the presentation of prizes to "Miss Victoria" (Miss Madeline Woodman) and others who headed the list in the beauty competition.

A beautiful green georgette evening frock, specially imported from Paris by Mallek's, will be presented to the winner. Maynard's have supplied "Miss Victoria" with smart shoes, and her hats are from the South African Plume Shop. On Friday afternoon she will leave to represent Victoria in the Western Canada beauty finals which are to start in Vancouver on Saturday and which will have competitors from many cities west of the Great Lakes.

HARD ON THE HATS

He emerged from the dining-room of the fashionable hotel and made his way into the cloak-room, where he proceeded to crush in any tophat that caught his eye.

"Look here," said the attendant, "what's the big idea, sir?"

"I'm lookin' for me hat," returned the other blandly. "It's one of those collapsible things, you know, but none of these seems to be the one I want."

SHE KEPT HER WORD

Down went the evening paper in a heap on the floor, and the middle-aged man who had been perusing a leading article sprang to his feet.

"These girls who protest that they are never going to marry!" he broke out fiercely. "Why, everybody knows that they will belie their words at their very first opportunity.

"Why, Mary," he continued, "you yourself have often said you wouldn't marry the best man alive."

"Neither I did," retorted the woman.

Canadian Pacific Railway Excursion to Bellingham Tulip Festival, May 4. Princess Louise leaves Victoria at 9:30 a.m. Adults, $2.05; children, $1. Leave Bellingham 5:30 p.m. Tickets now on sale.